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PADUCAH, KY., MONDAY EVENING, MARCH 2, 1908

TEN CENTS PER WEEK

COLORED VOTERS OF CHRISTIAN CO. IN LINE FOR TAFT

Organize Club at Hopkinsville
Composed of Leading Mem-
bers of Race.

How Scheme of Opposition is
Failing in South.

BOOKER WASHINGTON'S STAND

Hopkinsville, Ky., March 2.—Col-
ored republicans met in conference at
the office of The Morning News and
organized a Taft club for the purpose
of pressing the interests of the sec-
retary of war for the Republican
nomination for president, and to
secure recognition for the Negro
from the Republican party.

Those present at the meeting were
in most accounts colored school
teachers and professional men,
heretofore not conspicuous in local
politics. Phil H. Brown, editor of
the News, was elected temporary
chairman and E. Poston secretary.

Speeches were made by the Rev.
B. J. Garrett, P. Moore, E. S. For-
man and J. W. Head. Resolutions
were adopted favoring the candidacy
of Secretary Taft and setting forth
the claims of the new organization
for recognition from the Republican
leaders of the district. One paragraph
in the resolutions referring to Judge
Taft says:

"We are convinced by Judge Taft's
past achievements, his eminent fair-
ness to all men of color and his
active interest in the progress and
welfare of the Negro race, that in

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RELIGIOUS SERVICES ARE HELD AT BOTH JAILS.

Religious services were held yester-
day at the county jail and the city jail.
Capt. Arthur Meaker, of the Salva-
tion Army, spoke at both places, and
Mrs. C. A. Leaman, prison evangelist,
held a special service at the county
prison. All of the prisoners attended
the services and took a deep interest.
Several at the city jail were stubborn,
but Jailor Brown made them attend.

TWO-MONTHS-OLD CHILD OF L. W. PEOPLES DIES.

Roy Peoples, the two-months-old
infant son of Mr. and Mrs. L. W.
Peoples, 329 North Third street, died
at 5 o'clock this morning of pneu-
monia. The funeral will be held to-
morrow morning at 10 o'clock at the
residence. The burial will be in Oak
Grove cemetery.

BAR CRACKS LEG BONE

Mr. John Waters, who is in charge
of the West Kentucky Coal company's
fleet at Owen's Island, broke his left
leg between the ankle and knee yester-
day evening while pulling two
barges together by means of a bar
twisting the lines. The bar slipped
and flew around, striking him on the
leg. Dr. O. R. Kidd attended the in-
jured man. Mr. John Waters is a
brother of Captain Michael Waters,
of the towboat Jim Duffy, who is in
White river towing ties.

ENGINEERS MEET AND MAY DECIDE ABOUT WAGE SCALE

An important meeting of the local
Brotherhood of Illinois Central En-
gineers, No. 225, will be held in Padu-
cah this evening at which in addition
to the local members, Mr. C. J. Sin-
gleton, of Mattoon, Ill., general chair-
man of the adjustment committee, E.
King, of Paducah division, J. A. Mc-
Cann, of the Tennessee division, and
A. L. Dannister, of the Nashville di-
vision, will be in attendance.

The nature of the business to be
transacted is not made public, but it
is probable that a discussion of the
proposed reduction of the engineers'
salaries by some of the southern
roads may be entered into. No infor-
mation of a decrease in the Illinois
Central employees' salaries has yet
been made, but the question of lend-
ing moral influence and substantial
aid if necessary to other brotherhoods
may be discussed.

A strike on some of the western
and southern railroads is said to be
imminent.

Judge Wilfley Played Patriotic Part in Driving Shysters Out of United States Court at Shanghai.

President Roosevelt and Sec-
retary of State Root Come to
Defense of Official, Who is
Being Persecuted.

Washington, March 2.—President
Roosevelt in a letter to the house
judiciary committee vigorously de-
nounces the men who are trying to
impeach Judge L. R. Wilfley, of the
United States court at Shanghai. Sec-
retary Root's letter, accompanying
it, finds the charges unwarranted.
The motive, according to Root, was
the fearless and successful manner in
which Judge Wilfley cleaned up cer-
tain "undesirables" in the American
colony of Shanghai. Root holds that
Wilfley is entitled to the highest
praise.

Wilfley a Patriot.

Columbus, O., March 2.—Robert
E. Lewis, who for the last ten years
has been a representative of the In-
ternational committee of the Young
Men's Christian association in China,
and has recently been transferred to
this country, vigorously denounced
the attempt to impeach Judge L. R.
Wilfley, of the United States court at
Shanghai, China.

He declared that one of the lawyers
who are back of the impeachment pro-
ceedings has been driven out of the
Philippines by Secretary Taft, and
that another man behind the scheme
is instrumental in importing girls
from Honolulu to China.

"I have been invited," he said, "to
appear before the congressional com-
mittee at Washington regarding this
matter, and shall tell them of the
character of the men behind this
scheme. Secretary Taft and Presi-
dent Roosevelt both are in possession
of the facts in the case, and they
know that Judge Wilfley is a splendid
man and is doing excellent work in
China."

"The American Asiatic association,
which represents the great American
interests in the Chinese empire, have
sent word to the president that they
heartily approve Judge Wilfley's ad-
ministration."

"The work of Judge Wilfley has
done more to restore the prestige of
America in the eyes of the orientals
than anything since the 'open door'
policy of Secretary John Hay. Sec-

HITCHCOCK COMING.

Mr. Frank H. Hitchcock, first
assistant postmaster general, who
resigned from the cabinet re-
cently to assume the management
of the Taft campaign, will visit
Paducah early this month, as the
guest of Postmaster F. M. Fisher.
Mr. Fisher received a letter from
Mr. Hitchcock saying he would
be here before March 17; but it
is probable that his visit will
be ante-date the First district Re-
publican convention, which will
be held in this city March 11.
Mr. Hitchcock has more personal
friends all through the south
probably than any other public
man outside the officials of the
various states.

Secretary Taft says that he heartily con-
curs in the course which Judge Wil-
fley has taken, especially in raising
the standard of the American bar.

JAMES OLIVER DEAD

South Bend, Ind., March 2.—James
Oliver, founder of the largest plow
works in the world, died today after a
long illness.

FRENCH PROTEST AGAINST YANKEE AUTO IN CONTEST

Chicago, March 2.—The five con-
testants in the New York to Paris au-
tomobile race are scattered from Mich-
igan City, Ind., to Clarence, Ia., be-
fore leaving Chicago, drivers of the
French car filed a formal protest
against the American car. This docu-
ment will be forwarded to Paris. It
recites that the American machine
was altered while it was undergoing
repairs at Buffalo, that it was towed
two days without the motor running;
that it was towed by a trolley car in
Indiana; that it used the railroad
tracks between Michigan City, Ind.,
and Chicago, and that it was put on
sledges.

GIANT TOWBOATS RACE ON GREAT RIVERS FROM PITTSBURG, PA., TO CRESCENT CITY

How Pittsburg Takes Tow Un-
der Bridge at Cairo—Sprague's
Immense Floating Coal
Field.

Pushing one of the largest tows of
coal ever brought down the Ohio
river, the mammoth towboat Sprague
passed Paducah late Saturday after-
noon. The tow consisted of 46
barges with 26,000 bushels each;
four fuel flats with 16,000 bushels
each; one barge with 15,000 bushels;
one flat with 8,000 bushels, and four
shell boats with 16,000 bushels each.
All together the big tow had 1,347,
000 bushels of coal in one trip down
the river. Once before the Sprague
started with nearly 1,500,000 bushels,
but she failed to reach New Orleans
with all her tow, as the trip was an
unlucky one.

If this cargo were shipped by rail,
the train would be over twelve miles
long. Allowing each car to haul 800
bushels it would require practically
1,684 cars to carry the fuel. Estimat-
ing that each car is 28 feet long
the length of the cars alone would be
twelve miles. With the loaded cars
a locomotive would be needed to pull
every thirty cars, and it would re-
quire 56 locomotives to puff and pull
the black diamonds over the rails. It
is estimated the coal will cost the
shippers about one-half cent a bushel
for the long trip, and this cost would
amount to about \$673,500. To ship
the same cargo by rail would make
an expense many times over the sum
needed to pay expenses down the river.

Employees of the boat stopped in the
city a short while Saturday afternoon,
and they said it was one of the
largest tows the big pusher had ever
carried down the river successfully.
So far the trip has been without ac-
cident. With favorable weather con-
ditions the crew hopes to reach the
Crescent City about March 20.

Race With Pittsburg.

In connection with the big tow of

AT CALLAO

Callao, March 2.—Officers and men
of the torpedo boat flotilla are enjoy-
ing themselves here and at Lima to-
day. Although they arrived three
days early the reception arrangements
were pushed ahead by citizens.

FOURTH ATTEMPT TO KILL HIMSELF IS SUCCESSFUL

Willis Jennings Commits Sui-
cide With Morphine and
Coal Oil Sunday.

Despondent Because Wife and
Child Left Him.

A PHYSICIAN WAS SUMMONED

After four attempts at suicide,
Willis Jennings, about 32 years old,
succeeded yesterday morning at 10
o'clock in ending his life. Jennings
suffered from a stroke of paralysis,
and had rheumatism, so that it was
almost impossible for him to work,
and several months ago his wife left
him, because he could not support
her properly, it is said. His wife
took their child and went to her
mother to reside.

Jennings was frantic over his wife
taking the child, and on three occa-
sions took poison to end his life. Sat-
urday afternoon about 3 o'clock he
was found by Frank Vick in the rear
yard at the home of his mother, Mrs.
Will Hendricks, 217 Ashcraft avenue,
and carried on the porch. He revived
and told them he had taken 25 cents
worth of morphine. At the coroner's
inquest it was proved that several at-
tempts were made to secure a doctor,
but Dr. H. Washburn did not get a mes-
sage until a few minutes before
Jennings died yesterday morning at
10 o'clock.

About a month ago Jennings made
his first 2 attempts at suicide in quick
succession, but each time he was re-
vived and saved. About three weeks
ago he went to the residence of Mrs.
J. Hamby and called for his wife. It
is alleged that he became so boister-
ous that his brother-in-law, R. L. Ham-
by, had to strike him to make him
leave. Hamby was acquitted in police
court, and as Jennings returned home
he purchased three ten cent bottles of
laudanum. He drank the laudanum
at once, and to hasten death drank a
bottle of coal oil. She coal oil served
as an emetic and he recovered.

Jennings refused to consent to a
doctor being called, it is said, and
said if he recovered he would throw
himself in front of a train.

Acting Coroner Charles Emery
held an inquest yesterday afternoon,
and a verdict of suicide was rendered.
The body will be taken to Rosebud,
Ill., tomorrow morning for burial in
Antioch cemetery.

RETALIATION IS RESORTED TO BY TENANT FARMERS

St. Sterling, Ky., March 2.—A
sensation was caused here when it
became known that many members
of the Society of Equity in this (Mont-
gomery) county had received threat-
ening letters regarding tobacco rais-
ing. The letters bear the postmark
of the local office. A copy of one of
the letters was secured, which had
been sent to the Hon. J. M. Bigstaff,
president of the Traders bank, the
wealthiest man in the county, and a
large land owner. He was formerly
on the equity board of this county.

The letter was written on a type-
writer and mailed in a white envelope
and in the envelope with the letter
was a brown envelope of a smaller
size, which contained powder and
matches. The notice read as follows:
"Dear Sir: This is to notify you if
there is any beds of any tobacco de-
stroyed in Montgomery or Bath coun-
ties 1908, you had better look out
for your own property."

"TENANTS."

Similar letters were received by
other members of the society, and
Harvey Pruitt and Lucien Bridge-
worth and other tobacco and cattle
raisers, received letters signed the
same way and written on the same
kind of paper and evidently on the
same typewriter, saying:
"If we cannot raise tobacco, you
cannot raise any cattle."

Some of the letters were turned
over to the postal authorities. This
is the first instance of members of
the Society of Equity being threat-
ened. There has never been any
trouble in this county and it is re-
ported that the members of the Equity
Society will offer a large reward for
the arrest and conviction of the au-
thor or authors of the threatening let-
ters. Leading independent growers
denounce the letter writer in bitter
terms.

Breckenridge Hall, at Central University Burns to Ground With Loss of Fifty Thousand Dollars.

Representative Lillard, Who
Bolted Beckham, Hanged in
Effigy at Danville—Beach
Hargis Case.

Danville, Ky., March 2.—(Special.)
—Breckenridge hall, one of the
largest dormitories at Central Uni-
versity, was burned this morning. All
was lost except the library. The loss
is \$50,000.

Lillard in Effigy.

Danville, Ky., March 2.—(Special.)
—Representative Lillard, who bolted
Beckham, was hanged in effigy while
people were on the streets going to
church yesterday. He was advised to
leave Danville.

Jackson, Ky., March 2.—(Special.)
—Floyd Byrd was hired by Jackson
citizens to prosecute Beach Hargis for
the murder of Jim Hargis. The case
was called before Judge Adams.

Perryville, Ky., March 2.—Repre-
sentative Lillard was hanged in effigy
here last night.

PADUCAH POSTOFFICE RECEIPTS INCREASE

More indications of prosperity were
apparent in the revenue of the Padu-
cah postoffice for February, 1908,
which amounted to \$5,636.44, exceed-
ing the preceding month by \$190,
and exceeding February, 1907, by
\$704.64.

I. C. MEETING DELAYS

Chicago, March 2.—The stockhold-
ers' meeting of the Illinois Central
soon after being called to order ad-
journed until tomorrow afternoon so
the proxy committee can report.

Petition Denied.

Chicago, Ill., March 2.—Judge Ball,
of the superior court, denied the pe-
tition of Attorney Leman for the fish
interests in the fight for control of
the Illinois Central, for an injunction
restraining the Union Pacific from
voting its Illinois Central stock in the
election today.

RECORD DAY'S SALES OF TOBACCO BY ASSOCIATION ON PADUCAH MARKET

240 Hogsheads Bought by E. J.
O'Brien and Company and
Other Brokers Will Get Some

More than \$50,000 will be turned
into the hands of the farmers of Mc-
Cracken county and western Kentucky
by the one purchase of tobacco made
by E. J. O'Brien & company, at the
association salesroom, in Paducah to-
day, 240 hogsheads being purchased,
practically all the tobacco on the
market suited to the French trade.
The hogsheads were sold as follows:
46 hogsheads lugs \$ 7.00
30 hogsheads lugs 8.00
8 hogsheads lugs 9.00
30 hogsheads leaf 10.00
27 hogsheads leaf 10.50
90 hogsheads leaf 11.00
9 hogsheads leaf 11.50
The sales were made before 2
o'clock this afternoon and other sales
will likely be made today, as several
brokers telephoned Salesman Veale,
that they would be down to the sales-
room before night.

In addition to the sales at Paducah
heavy sales have been made at May-
field and Murray also. W. B. Kennedy
and Rudolph Nagel, two of the largest
brokers, went to Murray this morning
and purchased 25 hogsheads at prices
ranging from 7 to 9 cents for lugs,
and 10 to 13 cents for leaf. Other
brokers are at Mayfield today, but no
reports have been received from
that point.

The association officials were jubilant
over today's success, and say that
the tobacco is moving faster than ever
before at this season. A continua-
tion of the heavy sales is expected
throughout the week.

In addition to the amount that will
be paid the farmers through the big
sale of French tobacco, wagon trains
have been coming in from Ballard
and Marshall counties all day, bring-
ing tobacco to be delivered to the in-
dependent buyers, and for this they
are paid cash at the "barn door" at
prices ranging from 5 to 7 cents for
lugs and 8 to 10 cents for leaf. The
association prize rooms have also
received all the tobacco they can
handle today.

Hitchcock's Trial.
New York, March 2.—Raymond
Hitchcock's trial continued one week.
His attorneys will inspect the grand
jury minutes.

RIVERSIDE REPORT

The report of Riverside hospital for
the month of February is: Private pa-
tients received, 31; city patients re-
ceived, 10; private patients treated,
38; city patients treated, 17; private
patients discharged, 17; city patients
discharged, 5; deaths, private pa-
tients, 2; deaths, city patients, 2;
March 1, private patients, 14; city pa-
tients, 5.

Grain Market.
St. Louis, March 2.—Wheat, \$1.02,
corn, 61½; oats, 55.

CHICAGO POLICE CHIEF ATTACKED BY BLACK HAND

Two Italians Call at Shippy
Home and Shoot His Son
Who Goes to Door

Battle Ensues and Harry
Shippy May Die.

ANARCHISTS BEHIND THE CRIME

Chicago, Ill., March 2.—Chief of
Police Shippy was stabbed in the right
arm and his driver, James Foley, shot,
probably fatally, and an unknown man
was killed in a fight when two men,
believed to be members of the Black
Hand called at Shippy's house this
morning and fired on Harry Shippy,
the chief's son, as he answered the
bell. Harry Shippy is not expected to
live.

Harry Shippy received two bullets
in his body. Foley has a bullet in his
breast.

The shooting attracted the chief,
who was stabbed as he rushed through
the door. Shippy put five bullets into
an unknown man, killing him out-
right. He looks like an Italian about
24 years old. Mayor Bussee, with a
body guard, went to the Shippy home
as soon as he heard of the shooting.
It is believed the attack is a result of
the recent anarchist agitation in this
city.

Police are working on the theory
that the dead man was a member of
the anarchist body, which has been
active lately and that he was appoint-
ed to kill the chief in revenge for
protection afforded by the police to
the priests, against whom threats
were made. The same man called
three times yesterday and wouldn't
leave the note, which he said he had.
The chief went to the door for the
note today and the man made a sus-
picious move. As the chief tried to
grab him he jerked out a knife and
cut the chief twice in the right arm.
The would-be assassin started firing
and two shots struck Harry, who fell.
Another hit Foley. The chief then
began to shoot, emptying his revolver.
A general roundup of suspicious char-
acters was ordered and all will be
tried or sent out of the city.

Three Socialists Arrested.

Los Angeles, Cal., March 2.—Geo.
M. Woody, J. J. Hicks and Mrs.
Josie Schuck were arrested last night
as part of the campaign being waged
by the police against Socialists. Wood-
y is a Pasadena negro. He and
Hicks, when taken into custody, were
addressing a meeting of several hun-
dred bystanders. Upon their arrest
there was a demonstration, the result
of an appeal by Mrs. Schuck to those
present to resist the officers. Placing
herself at the head of a mob, Mrs.
Schuck raised a red flag and marched
her followers a distance of about a
mile, the crowd singing the "Marseil-
laise." Twenty police officers were
hastened to the scene and they dis-
persed the mob, arresting Mrs. Schuck
Woody and Hicks. They were later
released on bail.

Anarchists Dispersed.

Rochester, N. Y., March 2.—Be-
cause they were suspected of having
anarchistic tendencies and of foment-
ing disorder, about 50 Italians, who
arranged for a meeting in commemora-
tion of the death of Giordano Bruno,
burned to death as a heretic in Rome,
in 1600, were dispersed by the police
here. An Italian lawyer from New
York, Matteo Teresi, who was to ad-
dress the meeting, protested against
the action of the police, but the meet-
ing dispersed without disorder.

Burial Permits.

The city clerk issued forty burial
permits during the month, twenty-
five being for white people and fifteen
for colored.

RIVES FAILED TO GET COUNTY UNIT FROM COMMITTEE

Frankfort, Ky., March 2. (Special.)
—A plan is on foot to put the senate
bill, providing for a vote on an amend-
ment to the constitution, providing
for state prohibition. Certain Demo-
crats are to push the matter. If that
fails they will fight for the county
unit bill.

Rives' effort to get his county unit
bill from the committee failed. The
committee promised to meet tonight
and consider it.



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MRS. A. C. CLARK

Millinery Department at L. B. Ogilvie & Co.'s

Logan County Court.
Russellville, Ky., March 2.—The February term of the Logan circuit court adjourned after a lengthy session of four weeks. The grand jury made an unsuccessful effort to find indictments both against the night riders and the tobacco trust. Judge Sandidge having delivered to them a strong charge, urging that there must be indictments against any infractions of the law, whether by the tobacco trust or by night riders. Many witnesses were examined, but no evidence found upon which to base indictments against either party to the controversy. The International Harvester company, however, was indicted under the statute framed at un-

lawful combinations in restraint of trade.

Reversed.

The foreign visitors to China had asked to see a native execution, and the Governor of the province, for a consideration, had consented to oblige them.

"Have mercy, Your Highness," wailed the wretched criminals, as they cringed before the Governor.

"None whatever," responded His Highness, cheerfully. "It's a case of 'Tails I win, heads you lose.'" —Bohemian.

Try the Sun for Job Work.

TAX BOOKS

STILL IN THE HANDS OF SUPERVISORS HERE.

City Waiting for Return of Franchise Assessment and County Busy.

The state board of valuation has not yet forwarded the city assessor the franchise assessments for this year and the board of city tax supervisors have not yet called a meeting to finish up their work and certify to the auditor the total amount of property assessed. The report of the state board is expected daily.

County Assessor Troutman and two members of the board of supervisors for the county are busy making the recapitalization of the tax assessment for county and state purposes, but it will require about ten days for them to complete the work. The tax rate for county purposes is fixed at the regular meeting of the fiscal court in April, while the state rate will be fixed by the legislature now in session. The county supervisors raised the assessment of real estate and personal property about \$900,000, which, it is believed, will bring the county rate down several cents.

THEATRICAL NOTES

"The Man of the Hour."

"The Man of the Hour" was to have been presented in Paducah in the early part of the season by the company which Mr. Brady organized to give the play in the south and west. The company was a good one, filling the theaters of Nashville and Memphis, and won unstinted praise. It was necessary to cancel the Paducah engagement when it was learned that the jump from here to Springfield, Mo., could not be made without the loss of a performance. At the time the Kentucky management greatly regretted that they would be unable to give Paducah play-goers an opportunity, this season, to see the greatest dramatic success of the two seasons. They immediately took the matter up with Mr. Brady who promised if possible to assign a date later in the season. Mr. Carney held him to his promise when the opportunity came and he made good with interest, in sending the production to Paducah with his strongest and most expensive company, which appears in very few one night stand cities.

Al H. Wilson.

Comedian Al H. (Metz) Wilson tells this good story: A colonel, when guard inspector at the New York camp at Peekskill, approached one night a German sentry who simply looked at him and marched on.

"Well?" inquired the colonel, intending to remind the man of his duty.

"Vell, vell! Vot iss it?"

"Don't you want the countersign?"

"No, dot's all right. Der feller in der guard's tent give it to me. I got it."

Al H. (Metz) Wilson tells this story: "A regulation of the public school

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A glance at the full list of its ingredients, printed on each bottle wrapper, will show that it is made from the most valuable medicinal roots found growing in our American forests. All these ingredients have received the thorough scientific treatment of leading medical experts, teachers and writers on Hygiene.

A little book of these endorsements has been compiled by Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., and will be mailed free to any one asking same by postal card, or letter addressed to the Doctor as above.

From these endorsements, copied from standard medical books of all the best schools of practice, it will be found that the ingredients composing the "Golden Medical Discovery" are advised not only for the cure of the above mentioned diseases, but also for the cure of all catarrhal, bronchial and throat affections, accompanied with catarrhal discharges, hoarseness, sore throat, lingering coughs, and all those wasting affections which, if not promptly and properly treated, are liable to terminate in consumption. Take Dr. Pierce's Discovery in time and preserve in its use until you give it a fair trial and it is not likely to disappoint. Too much must not be expected of the above mentioned medicines. It will not cure consumption in its advanced stages. No medicine will. It will cure the affections that lead up to consumption, if taken in time.

administration of Baltimore requires that notice shall be given the parents of pupils whose eyesight needs attention.

"In one case the teacher of a school had written the father of one pupil this note:

"Dear Sir: It is my duty, under the regulations, to advise you that your son, Thomas Blank, shows unmistakable signs of astigmatism. The case should receive immediate attention."

"In reply the teacher received a note from the father in these laconic terms:

"Dear Madam: Lack it out of him. Very truly, Charles Blank."

Lillian Russell in her new play, "Wildfire," is booked at The Kentucky this spring.

TOBACCO TIDINGS

The books of the tobacco growers' association will be opened May 1 for the purpose of receiving pledges for the 1908 crop, and a resolution probably will be passed to allow any unsold tobacco of the 1907 crop to be pledged, also should there be any farmers holding their crops at that time.

The association managers will begin an active campaign for members as soon as the time arrives and expect to have a greater portion of their work done before the crop is half grown.

Reports from over the western district indicate that preparations are being made for a big crop this year, notwithstanding the desire of some growers to have the acreage reduced. The weather during January was fine for burning plant beds and unless something unforeseen occurs, there will be enough plants grown to set a large acreage. Many farmers have sowed double the number of beds this year than last, the idea being mainly to guard against such a shortage of plants as existed last year, causing the present crop to be short. The shortage last year was caused by the cold backward spring and the depredations of the bugs, which destroyed the young plants in the beds. Merchants have laid in a big supply of tobacco canvass and have already made good sales while they expect a rush for the woods soon.

Weekly Review.

The Louisville Tobacco Warehouse company issued the following review of the leaf tobacco market today:

"The sales on our market for one week, amounted to exactly 5,428 hogsheds, divided as follows: New burley, 3,665 hogsheds; old burley, 141 new dark, 916; old dark, 706.

Burley—The sales on our market this week have been unusually large, and the auction sales today were the largest in the history of the market, amounting to 1,496 hogsheds. The market continues firm and active, values showing no change as compared with last week. An entire crop of five hogsheds from Anderson county was sold today at the Louisville warehouse at a general average of \$17.65, the highest price being \$22.50. This crop was grown and shipped by Wilson & Samples.

Dark—The market has not shown any change as compared with last week for either fired or unfired tobacco. The highest price obtained for dark tobacco this week was \$12.

A Washington photographer, now famous, told the other day how in his youth he was practicing his art. In Cleveland when Mark Twain visited the town to lecture. Impressed with the humorist's splendid features, the photographer, at the lecture's end, sent up a note asking Mr. Clemens for a sitting. The reply that came back was characteristic. It said: "A sitting! Is thy servant a hen that he should do this thing?"

FIRE DESTROYS

PART OF TAMPA

Northern Section of the City is Wiped Out.

Cuban Woman Dies From Excitement and 303 Houses Destroyed—Two Factories Burn.

CIGAR MAKERS ARE HOMELESS.

Tampa, Fla., March 2.—The entire extreme northern section of this city was destroyed by fire, which broke out in a boarding house early Sunday morning and raged uninterruptedly for four hours. The area burned covered 55 acres or eighteen and one-half city blocks and 303 buildings were destroyed with a total loss estimated at \$600,000, and one woman is dead from excitement.

The burned section included four large and one small cigar factory and numbers of restaurants, saloons, boarding house and over two hundred dwellings occupied by cigar-makers.

The fire was fanned by a strong wind, and the fire department was crippled by a weak water pressure.

One Cuban woman, in a delicate condition, dropped dead from the shock, her body being rescued from the burning house with difficulty.

St. Joseph's convent has opened to the homeless and many were accommodated in homes throughout the city.

The insurance is estimated at not more than half the loss. The state militia was placed on guard in the burned district to prevent depredations.

Four Die in Flames.

Buffalo, N. Y., March 2.—Anthony Schultze, 55 years old, and three of his children, Nellie, aged 13; Joseph, aged 11, and May, aged 8, were burned in a fire in their home in Depew early Sunday morning. Mrs. Schultze and her four youngest children were rescued. Walter Schultze, a married son, who lived next door, risked his life twice in rescuing his mother and the younger children.

Loss is \$2,500,000.

New York, March 2.—The two fires that brought out the fire apparatus in the upper section of the city and raged in a lively fashion from midnight until dawn Sunday, burned down the car barns of the New York City Railway company in Second avenue in Harlem and the paint factory of George W. Gote & company, only a few blocks distant. There were 740 surface cars in the destruction of the barns and the loss to the company is estimated at \$2,500,000. The loss on the paint factory is given as \$125,000.

Thieves Steal Whisky.

Thieves cut a hole in the rear door of Lee Hite's grocery and saloon, Tenth and Husbands streets, early Sunday morning and gained entrance to the building. Eight quarts of whisky are missing, and it is supposed the thieves needed the booze to tide over Sunday. No change was left in the cash register, and the thieves did not get any pin money. The place was entered between 12 o'clock Saturday night and 5 o'clock Sunday morning.

Pale Delicate Women and Girls.

The Old Standard GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC drives out malaria and builds up the system. For grown people and children, 50c.

STAMP DEPUTY BEBOUT COLLECTED \$10,288.84.

L. L. Bebout, government stamp deputy, of the internal revenue collector, sold \$10,288.84 worth of revenue stamps during the month, while 422 whisky stamps were issued.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY. Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

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A few days ago a reader of The Sun, who had just installed himself in a flat, purchased new furniture for the entire establishment, and to leave the city, due to a change in his business. "What shall I do with this outfit," he thought. Then he remembered the Sun want ads, put four lines in for a few days and sold all the furniture, at splendid prices, in a few days.

This is but one of the many incidents of a similar nature. You may not have an outfit of furniture to sell, but you may have something around the house some one may want—an old carpet, or range, some musical instrument, or bit of furniture. A want ad. is a fascinating thing, for nearly every one reads them.

Try a want ad. for yourself, and test its merits. The cost is one cent a word for one insertion or three cents a word for a week, cash with order.

THE SUN.....PHONES 358

The Season's Biggest Hit.



Scene from "The Man of the Hour."

Judging from press comments and the expressions of critics at the initial performance of "The Man of the Hour," the great political play, in New York, the story told by the drama is intensely interesting, and the company the best balanced and most thoroughly competent of any booked at the Kentucky theater this season. Every actor was chosen with regard to his physical as well as his-

tronic equipment for the part, and the story is told by the original cast trained under the eyes of the playwright. Municipal politics of the larger cities of today forms the background of the plot, which introduces types of the municipal machinery and pictures them in a way to make the beholder see conditions as they actually exist. "The Man of the Hour" is the season's big hit.

Lent Begins Next Wednesday.

Lent begins Wednesday. By the word Lent is understood the fast of forty days preceding Easter, kept after example of Moses, Elias and Christ himself in order to prepare the faithful for the great festival of Easter. The Greek and Latin names for the fast, "Tessarakoste" and "Quadragesima," indicate the number of days. The Italian "Quaresima" and the French "Carême" come from the Latin. The German "Fastenzeit" and the Dutch "Vasten" denote the fast, while our own word "Lent," from the Anglo-Saxon "Lenten," means spring, i. e., spring fast.

While the scripture makes no mention of Lent, Tertullian and Irenaeus, of the second century, furnish proofs that Lent, in the general sense of a fast preceding Easter, has been known almost from Apostolic times. From the early part of the fourth century onwards, however, there are many references to Lent as a period of about forty days. Still, in the century and the next one also, the duration of Lent varied considerably in different churches. Sozomen, a writer of the fifth century, says that all Africa, Egypt, Palestine and the westerns generally, kept lent for six weeks; the church of Constantinople and the neighboring provinces for seven. The practice of the Roman church and of most Latins, however, was to fast six weeks, exclusive of Sundays, making thirty-six days.

At last the Latin church added the four days before the first Sunday in Lent to the fast, thus bringing it into conformity with the forty-day fast of

Moses, Elias and Christ. This new discipline is recognized by the council of Meaux, A. D. 846.

Lent was a season in which the faithful begged God's mercy for themselves, and were therefore expected to show mercy to others. The Imperial laws forbade criminal processes; the church reconciled penitents; the emperor released prisoners; masters pardoned their slaves; and enemies became friends. It was a season of mourning; hence the church has always strongly discountenanced festivities of all kinds during Lent.

In our times Lent begins with Ash Wednesday (March 4th this year) which derives its name from the ceremony of administering ashes to the faithful, in token of some penance. The ashes are obtained from burning the palms of the previous palm Sunday. At first they were administered only to "public penitents," who were brought before the bishop, and then excluded from the church, as Adam was banished from Paradise, with this admonition: "Do penance, that thou mayest have eternal life." Gradually the rite was extended to all the faithful, and today in every Catholic church in the world where there is a priest to perform the ceremony, all the faithful, including men, women and children are sprinkled with ashes accompanied with the solemn warning: "Remember, man, that thou art dust; and unto dust thou shalt return."

Rank Foolishness.

"When attacked by a cough or a cold, or when your throat is sore, it is rank foolishness to take any other medicine than Dr. King's New Discovery," says C. O. Elbridge, of Empire, Ga. "I have used New Discovery seven years and I know it is the best remedy on earth for coughs and colds, croup and all throat and lung troubles. My children are subject to croup, but New Discovery quickly cures every attack." Known the world over as the king of throat and lung remedies. Sold under guarantee at all druggists. 50c and \$1. Trial bottle free.

Boston Short On Beans.

Boston is on the verge of a bean panic. A real famine in the Saturday night and Sunday morning breakfast edibles is right at the door, commission merchants say. Practically no beans were grown in New England last year. For some reason the whole crop was a failure. Then there was a big shortage in the California crop. Merchants began importing them from France. That was well enough for a time. Now France says she wants her own beans, and the growers there have served notice that no more can be sold.—Boston Dispatch.

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The Nashville Banner says of a former Paducah boy:

"Mr. James L. Glass, general manager of 'White City,' the splendid new amusement resort to be opened at Nashville on May 1, has formed a circuit of parks in the south and will furnish productions for the entertainment of the public. Included in the circuit are parks in Nashville, Memphis, Chattanooga, Knoxville, Birmingham, Montgomery and New Orleans. The arrangements made by Mr. Glass will enable the management to secure the best attractions to be had during the summer season."

"Mr. Glass has for years been prominently connected with successful enterprises in the line of park amusements in New York, Chicago, St. Louis, Cincinnati, Boston, Winnipeg, Memphis and other cities and is well known as one of the leaders in the business. The attractions to be presented at the parks in the circuit formed by Mr. Glass will first be seen at 'White City' in Nashville, where most elaborate arrangements are to be made for their presentation."

"Mr. Glass' own company, the Donra Troy Stock company, will open the season at 'White City' in Nashville. The organization is headed by charming Miss Donna Troy, and the initial bill will be Hall Caine's masterpiece, 'The Christian.' Miss Troy appearing as Gloria Quayle. Miss Troy has achieved most gratifying success in the various roles she has presented, and in her Nashville engagement will no doubt add greatly to her histrionic laurels. Miss Troy will be supported by a strong company."

A Cure for Misery.

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ARMOUR TO SUCCEED FISH.
Will Be Elected a Director of the Illinois Central By Harriman.

Chicago, March 2.—The Tribune says:

"J. Ogden Armour, president of Armour & company, will be elected a director of the Illinois Central Railroad company Monday, when the delayed stockholders' meeting is held. He will succeed Stuyvesant Fish, who has given up the fight against E. H. Harriman, in consequence of Judge Ball's decision allowing Harriman to vote the stock held by the Union Pacific Railroad company."

"John J. Mitchell, president of the Illinois Trust and Savings bank, was slated for the place now held by Mr. Fish, but to the suggestion that he accept a place on the Illinois Central directorate he has replied that he is reaching a time in life when he does not care to add new responsibilities to those he has already."

Mr. Armour will be elected to the place, it having been decided by Mr. Harriman that it should go to a resident of Chicago and a citizen of Illinois.

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January—1908.

1.....3891	17.....3765
2.....3888	18.....3768
3.....3891	19.....3778
4.....3894	20.....3781
5.....3899	21.....3778
6.....3900	22.....3825
7.....3790	23.....3870
8.....3796	24.....3874
9.....3805	25.....3864
10.....3808	26.....3871
11.....3796	27.....3873
12.....3788	28.....3813
13.....3796	29.....3822
14.....3766	30.....3766
Total.....	103,390

Average for January, 1908, .. 3829

Personally appeared before me, this
February 24, 1908, R. D. MacMillen,
business manager of The Sun, who
affirms that the above statement of
the circulation of The Sun for the
month of January, 1908, is true to
the best of his knowledge and belief.
My commission expires January
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PETER PURYEAR,
Notary Public.

Daily Thought.

It's not the misery, but the mo-
tive that makes the martyr.

THE COLORED MAN'S FRIENDS.

Colored men, who are earnestly
striving for the elevation of their race,
view with alarm and disgust the ef-
fort to prostitute their suffrage to the
gratification of political lust. It was
fortunate that an early state conven-
tion was held in Florida, and the
scheme of the anti-Roosevelt element
to send contesting delegations favor-
ing Foraker or Fairbanks, as best
suited their purpose, was exposed.
From Washington continuously eman-
ated stories in anti-Roosevelt pa-
pers, declaring that the colored voters
of the south were revolting, and fake
interviews of colored bishops were
printed in Washington, which were re-
pudiated. Then the worm turned.
In Alabama the tricksters ran coun-
ter to the influence of Booker T.
Washington and they are down and
out. They can not even muster up
the semblance of opposition. In Mis-
sissippi the most influential men of
the race, has publicly repudiated the
trap, into which he discovered his
race was being led.

The same tactics are being resorted
to in Kentucky, and Fairbanks work-
ers here in Paducah, while striving to
poison the minds of colored men
against Taft's candidacy, are really
putting in most of their efforts among
the dives, trusting to silence the bet-
ter class of colored voters, while man-
ipulating the habits of the dives to
represent the sentiment of the race.
The colored man's friend is not the
fellow, who plays on his prejudices
and tries to use him as a unit in op-
position to the regular organization of
the Republican party. Such an atti-
tude would put the colored man in
bad grace with the only true friend
he has.

Forgetting all the times Roosevelt
has protected the colored man in his
rights, these anti-administrations
direct their attention to the Browns-
ville, Texas, incident, and miscon-
strue that as an abuse of representa-
tives of the whole race. Soldiers of
the Twenty-fifth infantry were not
discharged as punishment for shooting
up the town and wounding people, al-
though Senator Foraker and his in-
vestigating committee all agreed that
some members of the regiment, un-
known, did the shooting. The men
were discharged, after it was clearly
demonstrated that they knew, who did
the shooting, and that they conspired
to shield the perpetrators. They were
not even punished for the conspiracy,
but President Roosevelt said soldiers,
sworn to uphold and enforce the laws
of the United States, who, instead of
doing that, actually conspired to pro-
tect violators of peace and good or-
der, disgraced the uniform and were
undisputed instruments for the protection
of the republic. No honest colored
man can disagree with that judg-
ment, and any sincere lover of his
race should be glad such a drastic les-
son was taught where needed. Presi-
dent Roosevelt is making no apologies
for his conduct, and no one is ques-
tioning the righteousness of his act,
except Sen. J. B. Foraker, who was
repudiated and cast out by the people
of his own state; and the hirelings of
the big trusts, who are working in
Kentucky to defeat the hopes of Presi-
dent Roosevelt for a continuation of
his policies of government.
It is time for the best colored citi-

zens of Paducah, like those of Hop-
kinsville, to organize to prevent this
sinister use of their race. The true
friend of the race is not the man, who
encourages badness, but rather, he
who condemns it and encourages
goodness.

SENATOR BRADLEY'S ATTITUDE

Those Democrats and few Fair-
banks workers, who are reveling in
the belief that United States Senator-
elect W. O. Bradley's elevation as-
sures a Fairbanks delegation from
Kentucky may be reckoning without
the collaboration of the principal per-
son concerned. How do they know
Senator-elect Bradley is a Fairbanks
man? So far as we know he hasn't
said he is. He has been very much
engaged with a race of his own since
the presidential contest set in, and
he is not a man to speak too soon or
inadvisedly. The story that he is an
out and out Fairbanks man emanated
from Louisville, where some of the
Fairbanks men are his warm support-
ers; but that is a local condition. In
the First district Senator-elect Brad-
ley's friends are Taft men to the last
one of them. He has no warmer sup-
porters or admirers, for instance, at
the capital than Capt. Ed Farley,
father of the Capitol Taft club. We
do not attempt to make up Senator-
elect Bradley's mind for him; but it
does seem a little far from the part
of the Fairbanks push to use him as
a mask for their operations.

THE FEES AND THE OFFICE.

The action of the coroner of Breath-
itt county in resigning rather than
pry into "deaths which do not con-
cern him," sets an example for cor-
oners and sheriffs and common-
wealth's attorneys in many parts of
the state. He was afraid to investi-
gate feud murders impartially and
honestly; but he had the decency to
decline the fees of the office for a per-
functory investigation. When a sher-
iff is visited by a mob, it is his sworn
duty to stand by his jail and die if
he needs be, even in hopeless defense. His
deed would accomplish much in put-
ting an end to mob law. If he is
afraid to stand by his obligation unto
death, there is only one honorable
course left open and that is to resign.
Commonwealth's and county attor-
neys, and sheriffs and other peace of-
ficers in Kentucky are being called
upon to perform some ticklish in-
vestigations, and information in many
counties is thrust under their very
noses, but we do not hear of any in-
vestigations and we do not hear of
any resignations. The night riders
are bad enough, but the cowardly
skulkers in public office, who cling to
their salaries while shirking their
duty, are the greatest disgrace Ken-
tucky can offer to an inquisitive world
just now.

SLIGHTLY HUMOROUS.

Women enjoy wearing tight clothes
because it makes them feel so good
when they take them off.

He can never be more than half
educated who is not educated in
heart.

"And I am the very first you have
loved, Bertha?"

"Of course you are. How tedious
you men are. You all ask me the
same question."—London Opinion.

Taking on Fat.



—New York World.

He Gets Too Many: "My, John
you haven't a particle of tact."
"What have I done now?" "Asking
Mr. Hamfat to dinner, and telling him
a good roast! And he a bun actor!"
—Baltimore American.

Heard in the Kitchen.



Miss Spoon—What are you looking
so mad about?
Coffeepot—Mad! I was so angry
with cook yesterday that I just boiled
over, and I'm not settled yet.—Bohe-
mian.

"Professor," said Mrs. Gaswell to
the distinguished musician who had
been engaged at a high price to eu-
tertain her guests, "what was that
lovely selection you played just now?"
"That, madam," he answered, "glar-
ing at her," "was an improvisation."
"Ah, yes, I remember now. I knew
it was an old favorite, but I couldn't
think of the name of it to save me."
—Chicago Tribune.

The Spoilers.

By REX E. BEACHE.

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(Continued from last issue.)

For a long time the girl pored over
the documents. The purport of the
papers was only too obvious, and as
she read the proof of her uncle's guilt
stood out clear and damning. There
was no possibility of mistake. The
whole wretched plot stood out plain.
Its darkest infamies revealed.

In spite of the cruelty of her disillu-
sionment Helen was nevertheless ex-
cited with the fierce ecstasy of power,
with the knowledge that justice would
at last be rendered. It would be her
triumph and her explanation that she,
who had been the unwitting tool of
this miserable clique, would be the one
through whom restitution was made.
She arose with her eyes gleaming and
lips set.

"It is here."
"Of course it is. Enough to convict
us all. It means the penitentiary for
your precious uncle and your lover."
He stretched his chin upward at the
mention as though to free his throat
from an invisible clutch. "Yes, your
lover particularly, for he's the real
one. That's why I brought you here.
He'll marry you, but I'll be the best
man." The timbre of his voice was
unpleasant.

"Come, let us go," she said.
"Go," he chuckled mirthlessly.
"That's a fine example of unconscious
humor."

"What do you mean?"
"Well, first, no human being could
find his way down to the coast in this
tempest, second, but, by the way, let
me explain something in those papers
while I think of it." He spoke casual-
ly and stepped forward, reaching for
the package, which she was about to
give up, when something prompted her
to snatch it behind her back, and it
was well she did, for his hand was but
a few inches away. He was no match
for her quickness, however, and she
glided around the table, thrusting the
papers into the front of her dress. The
sudden contact with Cherry's revolver
gave her a certain comfort. She spoke
now with determination.

"I intend to leave here at once. Will
you bring my horse? Very well, I
shall do it myself."

She turned, but his insolence van-
ished like a flash, and, springing in front
of the door, he barred her way.

"Hold on, lady. You ought to under-
stand without my saying any more.
Why did I bring you here? Why did I
plan this little party? Why did I send
that man away? Just to give you the
proof of my complicity in a crime, I
suppose. Well, hardly. You won't
leave here tonight. And when you do,
you won't carry those papers. My own
safety depends on that, and I am self-
ish, so don't get me started. Listen!"
They caught the wall of the night cry-
ing as though hungry for sacrifice.
"No, you'll stay here and—"

He broke off abruptly, for Helen
had stepped to the telephone and taken
down the receiver. He leaped, snatch-
ed it from her and then, tearing the
instrument loose from the wall, raised
it above his head, dashed it upon the
floor and sprang toward her, but she
wrenched herself free and fled across
the room. The men's white hair was
wildly troubled, his face was purple,
and his neck and throat showed swollen,
throbbing veins. He stood still,
however, and his lips cracked into his
ever present, cautious smile.

"Now, don't let's fight about this.
It's no use, for I've played to win.
You have your proof—now I'll have my
price—or else I'll take it. Think over
which it will be while I look up."
Far down the mountain side a man
was urging a broken pony recklessly
along the trail. The beast was blown
and spent, its knees weak and bend-
ing, yet the rider forced it as though
behind him yelled a thousand devils,
spurring headlong through gully and
ford, up steep slopes and down invis-
ible ravines. Sometimes the animal
stumbled, and fell with its master,
sometimes they arose together, but
the man was heedless of all except his
haste, insensible to the rain, which
smote him blindly, and to the wind,
which seized him savagely upon the
ridges or gasped at him in the gul-
lies with exhausted malice. At last he
gained the plateau and saw the road-
house light beneath, so drove his heels
into the flanks of the wind broken
creature, which lunged forward gam-
ely. He felt the pony rear and drop
away beneath him, pawing and scram-
bling, and instinctively kicked his feet
free from the stirrups, striving to
throw himself out of the saddle and
clear of the thrashing hoofs. It seem-
ed that he turned over in the air be-
fore something smote him, and he lay
still, his gaunt, dark face upturned to
the rain, while about him the storm
screamed exultantly.

The moment Struve disappeared into
the outer room Helen darted to the
window. It was merely a single sash,
nailed fast and immovable, but seizing
one of the little stools beside the stove
she thrust it through the glass, letting
in a smother of wind and water. Be-
fore she could escape Struve bounded
into the room, his face livid with an-
ger, his voice hoarse and furious.
But as he began to denounce her he
paused in amazement, for the girl had
drawn Cherry's weapon and leveled it
at him. She was very pale, and her
breast heaved as from a swift rain,
while her wondrous gray eyes were
lit with a light no man had ever seen
there before, glowing like two jewels
whose hearts contained the pent up
passion of centuries. She had altered
as though under the deft hand of a
master sculptor, her nostrils growing
thin and arched, her lips tight pressed
and pitiless, her head poised proudly.
The rain drove in through the shat-
tered window, over and past her, while
the cheap red curtain lashed and whis-

ped her as though in gleeful applause.
Her bitter abhorrence of the man made
her voice sound strangely unnatural
as she commanded:

"Don't dare to stop me!" She mov-
ed toward the door, motioning him to
retreat before her, and he obeyed, re-
cognizing the danger of her coolness.
She did not note the calculating
treachery of his glance, however, nor
fathom the purposes he had in mind.

Out on the rain swept mountain the
prostrate rider had regained his senses
and now was crawling painfully to-
ward the roadhouse. Seen through the
dark he would have resembled some
missshapen, creeping monster, for he
dragged himself, reptile-like, close to
the ground. But as he came closer the
man heard a cry which the wind seem-
ed guarding from his ear, and hearing
it, he rose and rushed blindly forward,
staggering like a wounded beast.

Helen watched her captive closely as
he backed through the door before her,
for she dared not lose sight of him un-
til free. The middle room was lighted
by a glass lamp on the bar, and its
rays showed that the front door was
secured by a large iron bolt. She
thanked heaven there was no lock and
key.

(Continued in next issue.)

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TWO MINUTE SKETCHES

Henry Wadsworth Longfellow.

By ROBERTUS LOVE.



Ripe scholar
and poet of the
people.

LONGFELLOW has been called by
a critic "the poet of the com-
monplace." Some friends of the
beloved American poet have re-
sented this characterization, but others
have accepted it with thanks to the
critic. These latter hold that it is
glory enough for a poet to glorify the
commonplace, to see and express the
beauty of simple things, as Longfellow
has done.

Henry Wadsworth Longfellow was a
ripe scholar, one of the best educated
men of his time. He was a reader of
many literatures in many languages.
Much of his work consists of transla-
tions from other tongues, the poet put-
ting into simple and lucid English
verse the thoughts of other men, but
introducing also much of the person-
ality of the translator. By far the
larger bulk of his writings is original,
and much of this work is distinctly
of American flavor and inspiration.
Longfellow in "Hiawatha" produced
the first great American poem of epic
length and treatment. In this work
the poet brought the neglected and
despised American Indian for the first
time into poetic literature. He per-
ceived and gave expression to the ro-
mance of the aborigine.

But it is by his trifle poems, the
lyrical pieces, that Longfellow is best
known to the great mass of the people.
"The Psalm of Life" has passed into
current speech. "The Children's Hour,"
"The Bridge," "The Arsenal at Spring
field" and a score of lyrics in simple
and tender strain have become a part
of the life of English speaking people
everywhere. In the sonnet, one of the
most artistic forms of poetic expres-
sion, Longfellow still stands unsur-
passed in American literature.

Other poets have arisen in America,
some few of whom have shown a high
genius in creative work, but Long-
fellow, the kindly old Harvard profes-
sor, the poet of "The Village Black-
smith," remains, when all is said and
done, the most widely popular of
American poets, not only on this side
of the Atlantic, but across the sea as
well. Longfellow was the people's poet
because he wrote so lucidly that the
people could understand and appre-
ciate because he made the common-
place poetic.

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We wish to thank those who took
part in the presentation of Professor
William Deal's clever operetta, "Bar-
bosa," the chorus, the principals, those
who so kindly helped in the artistic ar-
rangement of the stage, and particu-
larly Mr. and Mrs. Young, who con-
tributed so much to the success of the
production. We also desire to thank
the press, and all the good citizens
who contributed toward the memorial
fountain fund. The hearty co-opera-
tion of all citizens has encouraged us
in the effort.

D. A. R.

L. D. MERRETT

WAS BURIED AT MT. KENTON
THIS AFTERNOON.

W. G. Miller Dies at His Home at
Sharp of Pneumonia and is
Buried.

The body of Mr. F. D. Merrett, who
died at Hopkinsville yesterday of
Bright's disease, was brought to this
city at 1:25 o'clock this morning and
taken to the home of his son, Mr. M.
W. Merrett, 614 Tennessee street,
where the funeral was held this after-
noon at 2 o'clock, the services being
said by the Rev. J. B. White. The
burial was in Mt. Kenton cemetery.

W. G. Miller.
Mr. W. G. Miller, 61 years old, died
at his home at Sharp, Ky., yesterday
afternoon of pneumonia. He was a
member of the Christian church. The
funeral services will be tomorrow
afternoon at 2 o'clock, the Rev. J. M.
Pace officiating. The burial will be
in Bethlehem cemetery. Mr. Miller
is survived by one daughter, Miss
Betty, and five sons, Messrs. Irvin,
Joe, Graham, Aker and Todd Miller.

HOTEL ARRIVALS

St. Nicholas—George L. Fisher,
Cincinnati; C. E. Greeger, Mechanics-
burg, Pa.; Ben A. Solender, Win-
chester, Ky.; M. J. Stickey, Wash-
ington, D. C.; H. Snyder, Meridian,

To the Public

WE take pleasure in giving our personal
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which appears at The Kentucky next Tuesday
evening, Mr. William A. Brady's "MAN OF
THE HOUR."

The success of this play has been so great
that four companies are presenting it, however,
we have been fortunate enough to secure the
eastern company, which appears in all large
cities. This is due to a misunderstanding re-
garding the time allotted the company at Mc-
Vicker's Theater, Chicago.

The play is one that appeals to all classes,
dealing with the corrupt politics of any of our
large cities, and has been the big success of the
past two seasons. The company presenting it
will be one of the best that has ever been seen
in Paducah, having just finished a week's en-
gagement at St. Louis' leading theater, The
Olympic.

Mr. William A. Brady is one of the fore-
most managers of the country and offered the
local public Mr. Wilton Lackaye in "The Bond-
man" earlier in the season. That "The Man of
the Hour" will be magnificently staged goes
without saying.

We trust "The Man of the Hour" will be
accorded the patronage it deserves.

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Palmer—G. M. Green, Nashville;
H. H. Sankamp, Cincinnati; H. D.
Lottsoch, Chicago; S. T. Bell, Mad-
isonville; William Handler, Clevel-
and; John S. Hobson, Central City;
Charles K. Sights, Henderson; M.
Kortz, Jackson; Dr. Parkhurst, Co-
lumbus; J. H. Lord, Benton; White
Peak, Louisville; A. Nelson, Cairo; J.
W. Boston, Richmond; F. F. Farrar,
Cairo; Jack Dehman, Louisville; F. D.
Phelps, New London; George C.
Poole, Louisville.

Belvidere—O. W. Patterson, Mur-
ray; George H. Cox, Norfolk; W. H.
Bickeman, Martin; G. S. Dunning, Wal-
ton; E. Guy Walker, St. Louis; W.
B. Wheeler, Chicago; Ed W. Braw,
Chicago; C. S. Copeland, Benton;
Thomas Woods, Metropolis; Bob
Cranchie, Memphis; W. W. Holstead,
Memphis; O. E. Hetherington, Evans-
ville; A. J. Ransom, Buffalo; J. B.
Rogers, Hopkinsville; A. Wolf, Lou-
isville; W. S. Byrd, St. Louis.

New Richmond—F. J. Moore, Ban-
dana; J. V. McDonough, Walnut;
George Gaddard, Mayfield; S. H.

Jones, Cunningham; A. J. Smith, Mc-
Borg; J. M. McGary, Madisonville;
Henry Chambers, Brady, Ky.; George
L. Hill, Caydon-Rock; Harry Horton,
Nashville; G. H. Hall, Little Chicago;
F. M. Binkley, Caldwell; A. B. War-
kins, Nashville; D. P. Newman, Be-
dard; Oscar Conwell, Grahamville;
Wade Hampton, St. Louis.

FOREIGN PRINCES

Asked to Abstain From Emperor's
Jubilee.

Vienna, March 2.—The Austro-
Hungarian government has sent a
circular to all foreign representatives
to inform the courts to which they
are accredited that the emperor begs
that foreign princes, who propose to
make congratulatory visits to Vienna
on the occasion of the emperor's jubilee,
the sixtieth year of his reign, will
kindly abstain from doing so. It is
explained that the emperor's phys-
icians strongly advised this step.

King Edward and Emperor Wil-
liam, however, are expected to visit
the emperor.

M. J. Farnbaker returned from
Cairo this morning.

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THE LOCAL NEWS

—Dr. Gilbert, osteopath, 400 1/2 Broadway. Phone 196.

—Forms for real estate agents for sale at this office.

—Mr. H. C. Hollins has left the city for a few months, and I have acquired an interest in his business and shall look after it for him. Any information with reference to any branch of it will receive prompt attention if you will call on The Sun office. Both phones 358. E. J. Paxton.

—Dr. Warner, veterinarian. Treatment of domestic animals. Both phones 131.

—We can give you the finest carriages in the city for wedding, ball and theater calls. Our prices are lower than those charged for like service in any city in America. Our service is second to none, and the best in this city. Palmer Transfer Company.

—The New York World almanac for 1908 just received at R. D. Clements & Co.

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—For house numbers, door plates, brass studs, brass and aluminum checks of all kinds, rubber type signs, markers. See The Diamond Stamp Works, 115 South Third. Phone 358.

—City subscribers to the Daily Sun who wish the delivery of their papers stopped must notify our collectors or make the request direct to The Sun office. No attention will be paid to such orders when given to carriers. Sun Publishing Co.

—Magnolia Grove No. 2 will give a euchre at the K of C hall Tuesday next. Admission 25 cents.

—If you want a nice lawn sown, Brunson's lawn grass seed, etc. Flower seed that grows. Brunson's Flower Shop, 329 Broadway.

—Place your orders for wedding invitations at home. The Sun is showing as great an assortment as you will find anywhere, at prices much lower than you will have to pay elsewhere.

The backwater which has filled "dry river" for over a week, had receded several feet this morning, but there yet remains almost enough water in the old river bed to float a small steamboat.

A small child of the Rev. Sam Brown, of O'Brien's addition, is seriously ill of pneumonia.

The Holland room at the Palmer will be open for theater parties after the performance of "The Man of the Hour" tomorrow night.

The McCracken County Medical society will meet with Dr. E. B. Williamson on Broadway near Wallace park tomorrow night at 8 o'clock. The subject will be "Fractures, the Various Causes, Symptoms and Treatment."

Fire stations Nos. 1 and 4 were called to extinguish a fire that was burning out at the residence of J. Yopp, 312 Jackson street, Saturday afternoon about 4 o'clock. Damage of only a few dollars was done.

On account of the illness of some members of the family residing over the Salvation Army headquarters, no Sunday services were held there yesterday. Captain Meeker, however, conducted an open air service for children and services at the city jail and the county jail.

A horse belonging to James McEdden, of 600 1/2, was found in an alley near Eleventh and Madison streets yesterday morning and people noticed that the horse was the property of the humane society. Mr. Toner found that the horse has been in the alley since Saturday afternoon and was suffering from lockjaw. McEdden was found and said he was afraid to kill the horse for fear he would be arrested, but under orders from Secretary Toner he shot the horse.

The Evening Sun—10c a Week.

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LAWLESSNESS IS DENOUNCED FROM BAPTIST PULPIT

Denouncing all forms of lawlessness, and especially such as has stained Kentucky, the Rev. M. E. Dodd, pastor of the First Baptist church, preached an able sermon yesterday morning on "The Majesty of the Law." Quoting from his text from St. Matthew and the Romans, Dr. Dodd discussed the attitude of the Bible and law and order. "Heretics and enemies of Christ say the great fault of Christianity is that it does not touch humanity at vital points," began Dr. Dodd. "But those who have read the new testament can not doubt the impracticability, for the last of the arguments used in the book is that all Christians should be subject to all civil authorities."

From this standpoint he discussed the relation of Christianity to Christian government. Since the principles and precepts of the Bible were not followed, the need of civil authorities as long as human nature remains what it is was brought out plainly. Toward the closing of his theme Dr. Dodd was especially vigorous on the persons who ignore lawlessness, and with vigor he gave the keynote of his theme in his last sentence, "Let us denounce it."

First Presbyterian.

There was one addition to the First Presbyterian church Sunday morning.

On the South Side.

The Third street Methodist Sunday school was largely attended yesterday. The Rev. H. B. Terry preached at 11 a. m. on the subject, "The Communion," and at 7:30 p. m. on "The Golden Rule."

He also preached to the children at 2:30 p. m. at Mizpah mission, on Elizabeth street, where W. J. Hill conducted a prosperous Sunday school which had 114 present.

Broadway Methodist.

In his sermon last night on "The Downfall of Peter and His Restoration," the Rev. G. T. Sullivan, of the Broadway Methodist church, stressed the importance of carrying one's religion into daily life and practice, and said we were exceptionally fortunate in having our two great political leaders of the day, President Roosevelt and William Jennings Bryan, men of stalwart Christian faith, who carried their religious beliefs into the practical daily living, unblemished and with colors flying.

There were two additions to the Broadway Methodist church yesterday morning. Mrs. Lela Wade Lewis and Mr. John U. Robinson rendered a duet for the evening offering.

Book Reception.

In connection with the regular prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at the Broadway Methodist church there will be an informal book reception. Dr. Sullivan asked his members yesterday to contribute a book from their libraries that would be helpful to a young man who was studying for the ministry, and bring to the prayer service on Wednesday night.

OLD TIMERS

BACK IN CLUTCHES OF POLICE FOR BEING NAUGHTY.

Effie Dillingham and Lottie Schroeder Go Buggy Riding, But Get Gay.

While out buggy riding last night, Effie Dillingham and Lottie Schroeder, two well known characters to the police, were boisterous and were arrested by Patrolman Aaron Hurley. When arrested Effie Dillingham put up a fight, and in the scuffle Lottie Schroeder ran away. Patrolman Hurley had James Whitledge hold Effie while he chased Lottie, but she was the better runner and escaped.

In the fight Effie hit the patrolman and kicked him, and it is said used abusive language. She was taken to the city hall and in court this morning said that Patrolman Hurley could not handle her unassisted.

Lottie Schroeder and J. W. Gibson were arrested at the Sixth street bridge over Island creek by Patrolmen Cross and Hurley. Judge Cross gave the Dillingham woman 20 days in the county jail, and was going to issue a warrant for false swearing. He reconsidered and gave her fifty days in the county jail. The woman has three small children, which are in the Home of the Friendless. A short time ago she attempted suicide. She was penitent in court, but her record was such that Judge Cross could not extend leniency.

Tom Wanamaker Dies.

Philadelphia, March 2.—Thomas Wanamaker, son of John Wanamaker, died in a Paris hotel today, according to a cablegram. He was president of the North American Newspaper company and had been suffering from rheumatic gout.

IN SOCIAL CIRCLES

U. D. C. Chapter Tomorrow.

The Paducah chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, will meet Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Woman's club house. Mrs. Roy McKinney is the chapter hostess. In the absence of Mrs. James Roger, the president, who is in Cuba, Mrs. John L. Webb, the first vice-president, will preside. It is desired the meeting begin promptly at 2 o'clock in order the members can attend the D. A. R. Colonial Tea at the home of Mrs. W. A. Gardner at 4 o'clock.

Carpe Diem Club "Tacky" Party.

Miss Maggie Lydon will entertain the Carpe Diem club tonight at her home on South Tenth street. It will be the final meeting of the club until after Easter. The members will go in comic costume.

Girls' Leap Year Dance Tonight.

The girls of the younger set will give a Leap Year dance tonight at the Woman's club house. It promises to be a delightful affair.

Attractive Musical This Evening.

A delightful musical is planned for this evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Gilbert, 2003 Jefferson boulevard. It is under the auspices of the Grace Church Guild. A feature will be the selections from the opera of "Madam Butterfly," played by Mr. Gilbert. There will be piano numbers by Miss Lela Wade and Miss Lela O'Brien. The vocal soloists are Miss Anne Bradshaw, Messrs. Richard Scott and Ernest Thompson.

Colonial Tea Will Be a Social Event.

Paducah chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will have their Colonial Tea tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Armour Jarden on Fountain avenue. The chapter will receive in colonial costume and it will be a beautiful occasion. A large number of guests have been invited. It is the Washington Birthday Reception postponed from February 27 until Shrove Tuesday, and the invitations issued then are the same.

E. and G. Club.

The E. and G. club will be entertained by Mrs. P. Hazelbar, 1915 Harrison street, tonight 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Joseph T. Martin left today for Louisville to visit for a week. Mr. E. J. Allen went to Princeton today on business.

Judge Ed Crossland, of Mayfield, was the guest of Dr. and Mrs. F. V. Limbrough, of Maxon Mills, yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hill, of Palma, visited Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Johnson, of Sharp, yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Boyd, of Broadway, visited friends in Melber yesterday.

Mr. Eugene Richardson, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Richardson, of South Third street, who is ill of typhoid fever in St. Louis, is reported to be progressing well should no complications arise this week. His mother, Mrs. E. B. Richardson, is with him and will remain until he is fully recovered.

Mr. J. L. Davies has returned from Dawson Springs.

Mrs. Mary B. E. Grief Lounain, of Lowlandtown, is dangerously ill with cerebro-spinal meningitis.

Mrs. Will Richey, who was operated on at the Riverside hospital a few days ago, is recovering nicely and will soon be able to be taken to her home on Monroe street.

Mr. W. M. Rieke returned yesterday from a several weeks' stay in New York.

Rev. J. W. Blackard, presiding elder of the Paducah district, left his afternoon to fill district appointments after spending Sunday at his home, 1104 Jefferson street.

Registered in Washington: J. C. Palmer, T. M. Gilmore, G. McGarvey, H. Moore, Forest Embury, Charles H. Knight, Miss L. P. Dodge, Miss A. W. Richardson, all of Louisville; J. H. Insley, of Covington; H. R. Meyers, of Lexington; E. H. Mack, J. E. Day and, Louisville; J. A. Carnagey, Miss Margaret Carnagey, Paducah; Alex. Hunter, P. J. Head, T. C. Furwagner, Greensburg; D. J. Crawford, New York.

Miss Rosa Richardson and Miss Amelia Baker spent Sunday in Princeton.

Mrs. M. Swope, of 514 North Sixth street, who was operated on last week is improving rapidly.

Mr. Clay Kidd, of Memphis, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Kidd, 600 Broadway.

Master William Rowe Fraley, of Louisville, who has been spending several days in Paducah, has returned home.

Mrs. Charles Graham and children, of Paducah, who have been visiting Mrs. John Boyd Kennedy, on Third avenue, have returned home. —Courier-Journal.

Miss Mamie Bridges and Mr. Jesse Jabb, of Carmichael, are visiting Miss Eta Drummonds, of Fifth and Ohio streets, and Dr. O. R. Kidd, of 1722 Madison street.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Daniels have returned to their home at Sturgis after a short visit with their uncle, Captain John Williamson, 509 North Sixth street.

Mrs. George Hermes is ill with the grip at her home, 626 Kentucky avenue.

Mr. Hubert Wallerstein is in Chicago on business.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Jackson, of 730

South Sixteenth street, are the proud parents of a girl baby, born Saturday evening.

Col. Mike Griffin left this morning for Murray to look after his tobacco business there. Mrs. Griffin, who has been ill of the grip at her home on Sixth street, has recovered.

W. B. Kennedy, Rudolph Nager, R. W. Bogard and Luther Graham, all tobacco men, left this morning for Murray.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. McDowell, of Fulton, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carr Turner, of West Jefferson street, yesterday.

Miss Theresa Kirchoff, who has been the official stenographer in the bankruptcy courts for several years, has resigned her place on account of ill health.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Samuels will leave tomorrow evening for Chicago after a visit to friends in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Land and son will leave this evening for Meridian, Miss. Mr. and Mrs. Land have resided in Paducah for the past year and have made many friends.

Mr. Troy Jones, 1311 Tremble street, has gone to the county to remain through the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Bowman, of Fulton, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Wright, of Ninth and Monroe streets yesterday. Mr. Bowman returned home last night, but Mrs. Bowman will remain here this week.

Miss Rose Owen has returned from La Center, Ky., after a six weeks' visit to friends and relatives.

Judge D. G. Park will leave tonight for Mayfield to attend circuit court. He will also go to Hopkinsville and other places before returning.

Judge R. T. Lightfoot has returned from Evansville, where he went to take depositions in a case pending here.

Miss Irene Fowler, stenographer in County Judge Lightfoot's office, has recovered from a severe attack of the grip.

WINDFALL FOR JOINER CHILDREN IS DISCOVERED

In one of the garments of the older boys of the Joiner children, whose mother died at the foot of Madison street in a shantyboat several weeks ago, \$20 was found at the Home of the Friendless, where the children are kept. The children were taken to the Home and provided with new clothes, but their old clothes were patched, and while engaged in this work the money was found. The boys said they knew nothing of the money in the clothes. It is believed Mrs. Joiner had put it there before she died. When found by the police the family was practically penniless, and in need of money.

Mischief on the Farm.



Mr. Colt. What do you want me to do across the pasture for?
Mr. Dog. We've put up a great joke on old man OX and we want you to give him the horse laugh—Kansas City Times.

Mrs. Evans, of Louisville, will speak at the Mechanicburg Methodist church in the interest of the Woman's Home Mission society.



Our regular Spring Opening of everything for men and boys wear will take place March 15th, but already we show some early samples of striking patterns in single and double-breasted sack suits. Styles that will interest young men who are not satisfied with the common-place.

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NEWS OF COURTS

Court at Benton.

Judge William Reed left this morning for Benton, where he presides today at the opening of the Marshall county circuit court. Attorneys John K. Hendrick, Charles K. Wheeler and Mike Oliver also left to attend the sessions of the court. The criminal docket will be taken up first, the grand jury being empaneled this morning.

In Bankruptcy.

In Referee Bagby's bankruptcy court the two cases up for consideration were the Thompson-Wilson and L. S. Robertson cases, both liquor dealers, in bankruptcy. In the Thompson-Wilson case A. E. Boyd was elected trustee of the estate and his bond fixed at \$10,000. Adolph Weil, Lawrence Dalgam and George H. Goodman were appointed appraisers of the estate.

In the Robertson case Cecil Reed was elected trustee and A. C. Shelton, S. J. Lanham and Sherman Phillips were appointed appraisers.

In Police Court.

Today was "Home Comers" day in police court and several old timers in the judicial directory were there. But familiarity breeds a fine. Not only on the prisoners' side was it a day of return, but Thomas Harrison, was acting for Arthur Martin, prosecuting attorney, and the day was the more home like. The docket was: Drunk—J. F. Robertson, \$1 and costs; breach of peace—Harry Allen, continued until next Monday; housebreaking—Bud Deboe and Matt Grace, colored, continued until tomorrow; immorality—Lottie Schroder and J. W. Gibson, \$20 and costs; petit larceny—W. H. Wilbur, held to grand jury and bond fixed at \$300. Drunk and disorderly—Efie Dillingham, 50 days in county jail.

CAPT. G. F. McCABE

PASSES AWAY AFTER BUSY AND USEFUL LIFE.

Had Been Engaged in Many Successful Enterprises—Was Knight Templar.

Capt. George F. McCabe, 54 years old, died at his home, 1630 Jefferson street, Sunday morning at 11:30 o'clock. Capt. McCabe had been in failing health for several months, but had been confined to his bed for only ten days. He died of Bright's disease.

Captain McCabe was born at Iroquois, Ill. His parents moved from there to Kankakee, Ill., when he was a child, and later to Moore's Hill, Ill., where Captain McCabe was educated at the Moore's Hill college.

When he completed his education he went to Chicago, where he engaged in the coal business. Later he became a lumber dealer in Minneapolis. He came to Paducah in 1897 and was engaged for some time with the Holcomb-Lobb Tie company. He took a considerable part in the building of the Tennessee Central railroad. He organized the Paducah Pole and Lumber company, of which he was president and general manager at the time of his death.

He was married October 10, 1876, in Chicago, to Miss Lois M. Martin, daughter of a prominent minister of Rockford, Ill. She survives him with one son, Earl McCabe. He also leaves four brothers, two sisters and an adopted son, R. T. McCabe, of Manteno, Ill. His brothers are: W. L. McCabe, Danville, Ill.; D. E. McCabe, R. L. McCabe and J. B. McCabe, of Chicago. His sisters are: Mrs. Belle Crews, New Orleans, and Mrs. Emma Krantz, Amboy, Ill.

The body will be taken to Rockford, Ill., for burial, leaving here at 6:15 o'clock this evening in charge of his wife and son and his brother, D. E. McCabe, of Chicago. A short service will be held at the residence under the auspices of the Knights Templar.

Captain McCabe was a member of the Methodist church. He was a quiet, unassuming man and generous. It was only those who knew him best that appreciated his fine qualities on account of his modest, retiring disposition.

His death will be a loss to the business interests of Paducah, as well as to his family and friends.

ALLEGED CRIMINALS GET DRUNK AND IN TROUBLE.

Matt Grace and Bud Deboe, colored, were arrested yesterday afternoon on a charge of being drunk and disorderly, but later the charge was changed to housebreaking. Patrolman Owen and Detective Bailey arrested them, and after a sweating evidence was secured on which to issue a warrant for breaking into the grocery and saloon of Lee Hill.

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FOR dry wood, old phone 2361.

FOR heating and stovewood ring 437. F. Levin.

BUY your coal of C. M. Cagle. Best lump 12c at yards. New phone 975.

FOR SALE—Buggy horse. New phone 1464.

WANTED—One second-hand roller, top desk in good condition. Call either phone 1563.

STRAYED—Small three-year-old bay mare, unbroken. Old phone 1494.

FOR RENT—Cottage, Sixth and Adams. Sewerage connection. Old phone 2791.

FURNITURE—Reupholstered, repaired and bought at 205 South Third New Phone 901-a.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Gasoline boat 38 feet long. Boat Ora, near Paducah Veneer and Lumber Co.

FOR RENT—Barber shop or fixtures separate. Fifth and Jackson. Phone 222.

J. E. MORGAN horse shoeing, general repairing, rubber tires, 408 South Third.

NOTICE—Before selling your furniture and stoves see Brooks Bros. for best prices. 221 Kentucky avenue.

FOR RENT—One nice room, with board, bath, etc. 626 Kentucky Avenue.

CIGAR salesman wanted. Experience unnecessary. \$100 per month and expenses. Peerless Cigar Co., Toledo, Ohio.

TO EXCHANGE—A 16-horsepower five passenger automobile, in good condition, fully equipped. What have you to offer. Address Auto, care Sun.

FOR SALE—20-foot motor boat made of clear white oak, 3 to 5 horse power engine. Only used a few times. Cash or on time. Speed 23, care Sun.

WANTED—Diamond basket maker none but first-class man need apply. Address Anderson-Tully Co., Memphis Tenn.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms with bath, 427 Clark. Phone 1424, old.

B. P. ROOK—Eggs for sale \$1.00 per setting. Apply 1214 Bernheim avenue.

LOST—Nose Glasses with chain attached. Case stamped. Pendleton, Quincy, Illinois. Reward for return to San office.

YOUR CLOTHES will always look like new if cleaned and pressed by James Duffy, South Ninth near Broadway. Phone 338-a.

LOST—An opportunity to have a good lawn unless you use Evergreen Lawn Grass. Powell-Rogers company, Incorporated. Phone 301.

MEN—Our illustrated catalogue explains how we teach barber trade in six weeks, mailed free. Moler Barber College, St. Louis, Mo.

SOLOMON The tailor, has removed to 522 Broadway under Trueheart building, where he would be pleased to show you his new line of spring samples.

LADIES—Our catalogue explains how we teach hairdressing, manicuring, facial massage, etc. in a few weeks, mailed free. Moler College, St. Louis, Mo.

Teacher—Gerald, can you tell me how matches are made?

Small Gerald—No, ma'am, but I don't blame you for wanting to find out.

Teacher—Why, what do you mean? Small Gerald—Mother says you have been trying to make one for years but can't—Chicago News.

"Is Howard stingy?" "Why, that man won't even buy a calendar for fear he may not live the year out to use it up!"—Philadelphia Inquirer.

FOR RENT—Three-room cottage. Apply at 1335 Trimble street.

COFF COCHIN eggs \$1.00 per setting. New phone 229.

WANTED—Some one to make posts and build fence. Come to new concrete house on Hickleville road.

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FOR SALE—Smith property. West Jefferson, between 20th and 21st Sts. Address M. E. Adcock, R. F. D. No. 1, Paducah, Ky.

WANTED—A good stout boy about 19 years old to do general work on small farm near city. References wanted. Apply Mrs. J. Mattison, R. F. D. No. 1, Box 126-a, City.

FOR SALE—One two-story frame house at 526 Harahan blv. Modern improvements. Cheap for cash. Address M. B. Austin, 116 North Sixteenth street.

NOTICE—All parties to whom M. L. Warford is indebted are hereby notified to present their claims properly proven to me at Viola, Ky., on the 21st day of March

News Notes From the Sunday Papers.

The statement of the New York clearing house banks for the past week shows that the banks hold \$29,262,675 more than the requirements of the 25 per cent reserve rule. This is a decrease of \$3,265,875 in the proportionate cash reserve as compared with the previous week.

Leaders of the Burley tobacco society in Montgomery county have received anonymous letters threatening their property with destruction if any plant beds are scraped in that county this spring. The letters have been turned over to the postal authorities.

John McGregor, county commissioner at Indianapolis, was arrested on an indictment charging him with conspiracy to defraud and with accepting a bribe. The arrest was made while Mr. McGregor was lying ill at a hotel.

A bomb exploded in a side street of Teheran and killed two laborers. The occurrence created some excitement, but there was nothing to show any connection with the attempt made Friday on the life of the shah.

The United States scout cruiser, Chester, which is having her government acceptance trial off the Maine coast, arrived in the Portland harbor Saturday night. Naval officials said the results were satisfactory.

An international congress of authors, editors, publishers and publicists in Denver from July 14 to 23, immediately following the national Democratic convention, is projected by the Denver Convention league.

Semi-official declarations were issued in Berlin denying the reports that Germany was agitating the "open door" question in Manchuria, either alone or by secret proposals, to the United States.

A Chicago paper says J. Ogden Armour will be elected a director of the Illinois Central Railroad company.

at the annual meeting Monday to succeed Stuyvesant Fish.

Glenn Allen, the slayer of Father Leo, pleaded not guilty to the charge of murder when arraigned at Denver. His trial was set for Monday, March 9.

About 25,000 acres of timber lands in northern California have been acquired by capitalists from New York and Pennsylvania. The deal involves \$1,500,000.

King Manuel has issued a decree fixing March 5 as the date of the next general election in Portugal and another convoking the cortes on May 29.

Massachusetts Republicans will hold their state convention in Boston April 19 to elect delegates to the Chicago convention.

It is announced that the mines of the Amalgamated Copper company at Butte, Mont., will resume operations.

Henry Loomis Nelson, a professor in Williams college, and former editor of Harper's Weekly, died of heart disease.

Since the great fire of 1906, building permits to the amount of \$97,000,000 have been issued in San Francisco.

ALICE ROOSEVELT'S WEDDING Was something to be recorded in the annals of history. Herbine has been acknowledged the greatest of liver regulators. A positive cure for Bilious Headaches, Constipation, Chills and Fever and all liver complaints. L. C. Smith, Little Rock, Ark., writes: "Herbine is the greatest liver medicine known. Have used it for years. It does the work." Sold by J. H. Oehlischlaeger, Lang Bros. and C. G. Ripley.

"I received Your Majesty's message," said the new missionary. "Did I understand you would do me the honor to call upon me and dine tomorrow?" "Almost correct," replied the cannibal chief. "I said I would call and dine upon you tomorrow."—Philadelphia Press.

BECOMING A MOTHER

Is an ordeal which all women approach with indescribable fear, for nothing compares with the pain and horror of child-birth. The thought of the suffering and danger in store for her, robs the expectant mother of all pleasant anticipations of the coming event, and casts over her a shadow of gloom which cannot be shaken off. Thousands of women have found that the use of **Mother's Friend** during pregnancy robs confinement of all pain and danger, and insures safety to life of mother and child. This scientific liniment is a god-send to all women at the time of their most critical trial. Not only does **Mother's Friend** carry women safely through the perils of child-birth, but its use gently prepares the system for the coming event, prevents "morning sickness," and other discomforts of this period. Sold by all druggists at \$1.00 per bottle. Book containing valuable information free. **MOTHER'S FRIEND** The Bradfield Regulator Co., Atlanta, Ga.



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Actress Says Husband Pursued Them All.

Roy Threatened Death to Glacia Calla, Her Father and Mother, if They Did Not Tell Story.

THAT CARKINS KILLED HIMSELF

Portsmouth, N. H., March 2.—That Paul E. Roy intended to murder his wife, the beautiful Glacia Calla, her mother, Mrs. Grace E. Kelley, and her foster father, John D. Kelley, immediately after he killed his brother-in-law, George A. Carkins, in the parlor of the Callas in Newington on the night of Jan. 2, is now the belief of the authorities and all those directly interested in the case. Glacia Calla and her mother, Mrs. Kelley, will both make this assertion if Roy is ever brought to trial.

"Paul Roy intended to murder the whole of us, and he told us so," said Miss Calla today. "After he killed 'Sonny' I fled from the house, going to my mother's to spread the alarm. He pursued me, firmly determined to kill me and my father and mother. 'He found us all in the Kelley house. When he overtook us in the doorway of my mother's house he was frenzied with rage. He grappled with me and forced me to tell the story which I did.

Cried Like a Child. "During the long flight from my house to my mother's house, and during the time he was pleading with me to tell the suicide story, his anger cooled and he wept and cried, while possessed of a cowardly fear. 'Pity me, pity me!' My poor mother nearly died that night. She sat on the floor of the pantry and held George's head in her lap and moaned half the night. The doctor and the undertaker dragged her upstairs and she was finally persuaded to go to bed.

"Shortly afterward I also went to my room and retired. "During the early hours of the morning Paul came into my room, but I immediately got up and left the room. I told him I could never live with him again, because he had killed my brother. He cried like a child and shook like a leaf.

Stole His Gun. "I left the room and slept with my mother. Paul followed us about constantly and said he would kill us if we told the story. I begged him to give me his revolver, but he refused. On Saturday my mother took it out of his pocket and hid it in my veil box in my chamber.

"On Sunday when they were dressing me for the funeral of 'Sonny,' Paul was in the room and saw some one of our friends open the veil box and expose the revolver to view as they took it out of my veil. I was not in the room at that time. Paul took the revolver, saying it was his. "After the funeral we discovered that Paul had the revolver fully loaded and was carrying it in his pocket. My mother took it out of his coat pocket when he was not around and

placed it in a pasteboard box and left it secreted until she gave it to Sheriff Collins."

SCHOOL NOTES

Basketball is catching at the High school, but the trouble is that the epidemic is among the girls only. So many more girls have fallen victims to the rage that two more teams have been organized, the Reds and the Yellows. The players of the Reds are: Ethel Sights, center and captain; Ora Pryor and Nell Nicholson, guards; Ira Jones and Sarah Corbett, forwards. The Yellows: Clara Stewart, center; Kathleen Garrows and Eleanor Cabell, guards; Mamie Bauer and Henrietta Kahn, forwards.

Tomorrow the championship series will begin, and the first game will be between the Blues and Whites. Five cents admission will be charged for each game to defray the expenses of the game. Interest is manifest in the games, and the whole High school will be out to root for the favorites.

The latest basketball teams to be organized will be the seventh, and eighth grades. Wednesday afternoon the girls will meet, organize the teams and begin practice. Miss Elizabeth Daugherty will referee the games. The girls of the grades say they will make it interesting for their bigger sisters in the High school.

Tonight the oratorical contest will be held at the High school auditorium to select the representatives of the High school. No admission will be charged, and a splendid musical program has been arranged. Much interest has developed in the contest and a large audience will attend this evening.

Superintendent J. A. Carnegie returned from Washington Saturday morning, where he attended the meeting of superintendents. Work was piled him on his desk, but Professor Carnegie went into it with his usual vim.

Miss Helene McBroom, of the McKinley building, was ill today, and Miss Inez Bell was in charge of her room.

Miss Mabel C. Mitchell, of the Washington building, has recovered from an attack of malaria, and resumed charge of her room today.

George Ade Fables

The Subordinate Who Saw a Great Light.

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SIMON LEGREE.

Association. He was for the Toller as against the Main Squeeze.

In order to keep him simmered down the Owners gave him an interest. After that he began to perspire when he looked at the Pay-Roll, and it did seem to him that a lot of big, lazy Lum-mixes were standing around the Shop doing the Soldier Act. He learned to snap his fingers every time the Office Boy giggled. As for the faithful old Book-keeper who wanted an increase to \$9 and a week's Vacation in the Summer, the best he got was a little Talk about Contentment being a Jewel.

The Associate Partner played Simon Legree, all except the make-up. The saddest moment of the Day for him was when the whole Bunch knocked off at 6 o'clock in the Evening. It seemed a Shame to call 10 Hours a Full Day. As for the Saturday Half-Holiday Movement, that was little better than Highway Robbery. Those who formerly slaved alongside of him in the Gallies had to address him as Mister, and he had them numbered the same as Convicts.

One Day an Underling ventured to remind the Slave-Driver that once he had been the Friend of the Salaried Minion.

"Right you are," said the Boss. "But when I plugged for the lowly Wage-Earner I never had been in the Directors' Office to see that beautiful Tableau entitled 'Virtue copping out the Annual Dividend.' I don't know that I can make the Situation clear to you, so I will merely remark that all those who get on our side of the Fence are enabled to catch a new Angle on this Salary Question."

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COLORED VOTERS

(Continued from page one.)

his election we shall not only have a powerful friend at courts but an executive who is inherently without prejudice to sit in judgment upon our aims and desires."

This is the first organization that has been effected in the state for Taft, and since the faction of the party in this district headed by Collector Frank is stirring its stumps for Fairbanks, the activities of the colored Taft club of Christian county will be watched with surpassing interest.

In Mississippi. Jackson, Miss., March 2.—The colored members of the Republican party in Mississippi alleged to be in hostile array against the Roosevelt administration, and threatening to send a contesting delegation to the Chicago convention, are coming back into camp.

An important defection took place when Rev. E. B. Topp, a well known Baptist preacher and secretary of the Republican executive committee of the Eighth congressional district, returned to the party fold, deserting Atwood, Howard, Jones and the other reconcentrados, who have been backing a Foraker boom in Mississippi.

The action of Topp is of considerable importance, for he possesses much influence among the members of his race. In a signed statement setting forth the reasons for his action, he says:

"I have insisted all the while that there should be no white line, nor black line party in this state, and that we should get together and agree to do the square thing to all concerned. I have labored to this end, but up to this time I have not succeeded in getting the contending parties together."

"I am of the opinion that we ought not to go up to Chicago with a double delegation. I believe that the plan set forth by our national committee-man, Hon. L. B. Mosley, is the wisest and best,—that we have only one set of delegates from this state. I endorse the plan of the national committee-man and will work to that end. I

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Topp's attitude is a serious blow to the Foraker movement, the leaders of which are not in high favor, either among the white Republicans or the more intelligent members of their own race.

Booker T. Washington. Birmingham, Ala., March 2.—Emissaries of the anti-administrationists, who have been in the south organizing opposition to William H. Taft in the name of Joseph Benson Foraker or Vice President Fairbanks, whichever seemed the most attractive, received a setback, when they encountered the influence of Booker T. Washington. His hold on the better element of his race is secure, and he is throwing his weight against the effort to split the southern delegations. In Florida this was successful, but since the scheme has been discovered to send a contesting delegation, where ever possible on any sort of excuse, the scheme is being headed off, and Florida promises to be the only trouble maker in the south for the Republicans this year.

Fake Interviews. Washington, March 2.—Great indignation was expressed by bishops of the colored Methodist church, with whom a certain news agency claimed

to have had interviews, antagonistic to the Roosevelt administration and Taft's candidacy. They said they were not here on a political mission and had declined to be interviewed. They denounce the alleged interviews as fakes, and went home bitter against the political organization that stood sponsor for the stories.

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Automobiles in Great Britain.
Consul Frank W. Mahlin writes from Nottingham, England, that the Secretary of the Highways Protection League reports that, according to accounts in the press, 932 accidents occurred in Great Britain in 1907, killing 215 persons and injuring 675. For these accidents and other motor car offenses 2,270 persons were summoned, of whom 2,046 were convicted. As the number of automobiles in use is estimated at 45,000, it would seem that one in about every twenty-two did something illegal last year. Occasionally the same driver is summoned more than once, but his license is usually revoked if it happens more than twice.—New York Tribune.

DON'T COMPLAIN.
If your chest pains and you are unable to sleep because of a cough, buy a bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup and you won't have any cough. Get a bottle now and that cough will not last long. A cure for all pulmonary diseases. Mrs. J. J. Cleveland, Texas, writes: "I can't say enough for Ballard's Horehound Syrup. The relief it has given me is all that is necessary for me to say." Sold by J. H. Gehlshaefer, Lang Bros. and C. O. Ripley.

All He Had Wife—What do you mean by bringing those muddy feet in here?—Husband—"Sense me, m' dear (hic); didn't have any other sh' (hic). Had hard time gettin' theese in.—January Bohemian.

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NEWS FORECAST FOR THE WEEK

**Political Happenings Promise
to Absorb Interest.**

**American Battleships Will Be on Last
Leg of Long Cruise—Mardi Gras
at Mobile and New Orleans.**

I. C. STOCKHOLDERS MEETING

Washington, D. C. March 2.—Political happenings promise to absorb much of the attention of the people of the United States during the coming week. Attracting most attention will be the Republican state conventions in Ohio and Kansas to select delegates to the national convention. Both states are expected to instruct for Taft. The Republican state central committee of New York will meet Saturday to fix the date and place for holding the state convention.

There will be more or less activity among the presidential aspirants during the week. Secretary Taft is slated for three addresses in Massachusetts and William J. Bryan will be heard at various points in the south and middle west.

The only Democratic convention of the week will be held in Omaha, where Nebraska Democrats will assemble to choose delegates to the Denver convention.

Other events of the week that will attract more or less attention will be the progress of the American battleship fleet up the western coast of South America, the annual Mardi Gras festivities in New Orleans, Mobile and Pensacola, the adjourned annual meeting of the Illinois Central railroad in Chicago, and a closely contested general election in New Brunswick.

The week promises to be unusually prolific of big news events for followers of athletics and sports. For automobilists there will be the annual races over the Ormond-Daytona beach course in Florida, the progress of the New York-to-Paris race and the opening of the annual automobile exhibition in Boston. Devotees of baseball will be interested in the departure of many of the big league teams for their spring practice work, and for followers of pugilism there will be the bout at Los Angeles between Battling Nelson and "Jimmy" Briff.

Supply measures will continue the chief subject under consideration in congress this week.

Important developments are anticipated in the disputes arising from the wage reductions as effective in March by a number of railways.

The first test case against that section of the rate law which prohibits railways from giving transportation in exchange for advertising is scheduled to begin in Chicago on Monday.

The long deferred meeting of the stockholders of the Illinois Central railroad, for control of which E. H. Harriman and Stuyvesant Fish have waged sharp contest, is held in Chicago.

A Higher Health Level.
"I have reached a higher health level since I began using Dr. King's New Life Pills," writes Jacob Springer of West Franklin, Maine. "They keep my stomach, liver and bowels working just right." If these pills disappoint you on trial, money will be refunded at all druggists. 25c.

The last two works of Abbe Loisy, "Synoptic Gospels," and his reply to the papal edict against modernism in faith, have been condemned in a decree issued by the archbishop of Paris. Abbe Loisy declares he will continue the work.

Try the Sun for Job Work.

EASY MONEY

**MAN FROM KALAMAZOO TELLS
HOW TO DO IT.**

**Anyone Can Make Some Easy Money
If They Will Only Follow This
Man's Advice.**

There is no denying the fact that the musician's life is an easy one, and it is getting more so every day. They are well paid and well treated, which is justly due them. There is no other trade which compels you to pay for your experience. When you start to learn any other profession you receive a salary right from the start. Not so with the musician. He must pay for his knowledge, and it is only right that he should receive good pay for his services afterward. Would you like to be a musician? You can. All you have to do is give a few moments of your spare time each day to practice.

There is no one who has not some talent for music. Some have more than others. They make artists. You may make an artist.

Inquire at the Broadway Music House for full information concerning the free lessons given with the wonderful Gibson mandolins and guitars.

READS LIKE A ROMANCE. Experience of Syracuse Man.

Mr. Wm. L. Brown, of Syracuse, N. Y., says: "Four years ago I contracted a severe lung trouble. Doctors in Fenton hospital, Utica, gave me up—said no hope. I continued to fall until I only weighed 68 pounds. They sent me home from the hospital saying they could do nothing for me.

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OFFERED TO SUCCESSFUL APPLICANTS AT EXAMS.

**Civil Service Commission Will Hold
Examinations at Paducah Custom
House.**

The following excellent civil service positions are vacant, and examinations will be held at the custom house, Paducah, on the date given:

Departmental.
Veterinarian (Philippine Islands) \$100 per month, March 11; draftsman-stenographer-typewriter, \$900 per annum, March 25; shoe and harness maker, \$720 and \$600 per annum, March 25; roller operator, \$2 to \$4 per day, March 25; soil chemist, \$2,000 to \$2,500 per annum; March 25; perspective draftsman, \$1,800 per annum, March 25-26; superintendent of road construction, \$4 to \$7 a day, April 1; laboratory aid, 2 vacancies, female, \$600 to \$900 per annum, April 1; printer (male) \$720 per annum, April 1; library assistant, in farm management (female) \$600 to \$900 per annum; April 1; apprentice, \$3.50 per day, May 6.

These examinations may be taken at Bloomington, Ind., Cincinnati, O., Cleveland, O., Columbus, O., Evansville, Ind., Ft. Wayne, Ind., Indianapolis, Ind., Ironton, O., Lafayette, Ind., Lexington, Ky., Louisville, Ky., Toledo, O., Zanesville, O., Paducah, Ky.

DR. MURRELL

**ELECTED VICE PRESIDENT OF
ILLINOIS CENTRAL SURGEONS.**

Organization Elected at Big Meeting
Held at Memphis Latter Part
of Week.

Dr. D. G. Murrell has returned from Memphis, where he attended the meeting of the surgeons of the Illinois Central railroad. The doctor was honored by being elected first vice president of the association. Dr. J. E. Owens, of Chicago, who was re-elected president of the association, was presented with a handsome gavel by the members. The following were the officers elected:

President, John E. Owens, M. D., of Chicago; first vice president, D. G. Murrell, M. D., of Paducah, Ky.; second vice president, Battle Malone, M. D., of Memphis; secretary and treasurer, Charles B. Fry, M. D., of Mattoon, Ill. Following is the personnel of the executive committee: Drs. J. E. Owens, chairman; James Fletcher, of Henderson, Ky.; H. C. Fairbrother, of East St. Louis; E. H. Johnson, of Yazoo City, Miss.; J. P. Lord, Omaha, Neb.; and R. L. Frieberg.

ONLY THREE PERMITS FOR BUILDINGS IN FEBRUARY.

Only three building permits were issued during the month of February, the total amount of improvements costing less than \$1,000. The permits were to Mrs. M. E. Merigold, frame addition to residence Fourth and Adams, \$250; A. E. Elliott, frame at Sixth and Jackson, \$300; Rubber Grip Handle works, frame addition costing \$300.

Last year was a year of retrogression in the record of Irish emigration. The number of emigrants has steadily fallen from 1902 to 1905, in which year it touched the lowest figure since 1851. But for the last two years there has been an increase, and the figure for 1907 is the highest since 1902, and is considerably higher than the figures of 1897 and 1898.—The Freeman's Journal.

COUNTY AND CITY

**MAY HAVE JOINT CONTAGIOUS
TO FISCAL COURT at the Session
HOSPITAL BUILT.**

**Mayor Smith Will Make Proposition
Tomorrow.**

Mayor Smith probably will attend the meeting of the fiscal court Tuesday and make that body a proposition to have the county co-operate with the city in providing a place for the care of poor people afflicted with contagious diseases. At present neither the city hospital nor county sanitarium have contagious wards and many cases have come to the notice of the mayor where the poor have suffered on account of the officials being forced to refuse them admittance to the public institutions. Recently a negro with measles was sent to the county pest house, while others have been allowed to remain in hovels with other contagious diseases. It is the idea of the mayor that a place should be provided on the outskirts of the city and the expense be paid by the city and county.

It Does the Business.

Mr. E. E. Chamberlain, of Clinton, Maine, says of Bucklen's Arnica Salve: "It does the business; I have used it for piles and it cured them. Used it for chapped hands and it cured them. Applied it to an old sore and it healed it without leaving a scar behind." 25c at all druggists.

HOW HUGHES WON RECOGNITION.

The Measures That Brought Him Before the People as a Statesman.

The insurance investigation gave the governor a national recognition. The two things that gave him national reputation and lifted him into the statesman class, and emphasized his presidential availability, were his veto of the two-cent fare bill, and his drafting the public utilities bill and approving it when passed. The legislatures of many states were making laws limiting passenger fares to two cents a mile, on the theory that two cents a mile gave the railroads abundant profits, while a higher rate than two cents a mile was an imposition on the public. The measures were very popular with the voters. The New York legislature passed such a

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law, and just when the voters and newspapers were ready to throw up their hats and hurrah for the measure, the governor vetoed it. Do you see the picture? The first thought of course, is: "He has sold us out. That's what we get for making a corporation lawyer governor." But wait—he has reasons, real ones. He says he doesn't know whether two cents a mile is enough for the railroads; he doesn't know anybody who does know. Wouldn't it be better to find out? Here is the public utilities commission, designed to find out just such things, not only about railroads, but about other enterprises engaged in the public service. If any man in the community has a grievance against a public service corporation, he can appeal directly to this commission and have the matter investigated and speedily adjusted in fairness to both sides.—Erman J. Ridgway, in Everybody's for March.

The Evening Sun—10c a Week.

All the patent medicines and toilet articles advertised in this paper are on sale at
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13 MET DEATH IN AVALANCHE

Atmospheric Pressure Causes Hotel to Collapse.

Police Station and Postoffice of the Village of Goppenstein Also Damaged.

FIFTEEN PEOPLE ARE INJURED.

Berne, Switzerland, March 2.—An avalanche descended today near the village of Goppenstein.

The enormous atmospheric pressure which accompanied it demolished the hotel at the mouth of the Lochnberg tunnel, killing 13 people and injuring 15 others.

The occupants of the hotel, numbering 30, were surprised while seated at a table, by the sinister rumblings.

Almost immediately two children rushed into the dining room and screamed: "An avalanche, an avalanche."

There was a rush to escape, but the building, which was of a temporary nature, collapsed without warning. Both of the children were killed along with many of those they had sought to save.

Among the others killed was an American engineer, named Mervart, who was installing machinery to be used for tunneling.

The village postoffice and police station also were seriously damaged by the air wave and were killed over to an angle of forty-five degrees, making occupancy impossible.

This notice was posted on a pleasure boat belonging to a certain steamship company:

"The chairs in the cabin are for the ladies. Gentlemen are requested not to make use of them (fill the ladies are seated)."—Harper's Weekly.

POLICE ON ALERT.

Details Stationed at Catholic Churches Yesterday.

Chicago, March 2.—Details of police were stationed during early mass in a number of Roman Catholic churches here because of threats against the lives of priests in letters received since the Denver tragedy.

Guards who were in citizens' clothing scrutinized every person who entered the churches where trouble was feared, and after services began occupied posts close to the altar.

Special precautions were taken in Italian churches in all parts of the city. No disturbance was reported at any of the churches.

POLICE BUSY

DURING MONTH OF FEBRUARY THEY BROKE RECORD.

Made 136 Arrests, Mostly for Minor Offenses Committed in the City.

The monthly report of Chief Collins shows that 136 arrests were made by the police during February, which is the highest for any month since winter began. The arrests were as follows: Drunkenness, 32; breaches of the peace, 31; petit larceny, 5; shooting with intent to kill, 1; drunk and disorderly, 12; disorderly conduct, 6; disorderly house, 1; crazy, 1; breach of ordinance, 4; housebreaking, 6; obtaining money by false pretenses, 2; malicious cutting, 2; carrying concealed weapon, 2; flourishing a pistol, 4; immorality, 1; robbery, 1; mooching, 4; gambling, 9; escape from jail, 1; seduction, 1; suspect, 1; converting another's property, 1; murder, 1; fugitive from justice, 1; embezzlement, 1; malicious assault, 1. Total, 136.

The Fire Department.

The fire department made eleven runs during the month of February and none of the fires amounted to any loss. The majority of the fires were in roofs of residences, and were caused by flying sparks.

DEFENDANT WINS

GLOBE BANK AND TRUST COMPANY IS SUSTAINED.

Important Action of West Point Bank in Which \$2,600 Was Involved.

The case of the Kentucky and Indiana State Bank of West Point against the Globe Bank and Trust Company, which Special Judge Henry Hughes has had under advisement since January 4 was decided in favor of the defendant. The West Point Bank sued for \$2,600, the amount claimed to have been placed on deposit with the local bank by a defaulting cashier named Ogden, during W. B. Smith's term as president. The court sustained the claim of the present officers of the Globe Bank and Trust company, that the amount on deposit to the credit of the West Point Bank had been borrowed as a reserve fund and should be applied to offset the account held against the institution. The case has been closely contested in the courts. Attorneys O'Mara and James, of Elizabethtown, and the firm of Hendrick, Miller & Marble, of Paducah, representing the West Point Bank, and D. G. Park and Bagby & Martin, representing the Globe Bank and Trust company.

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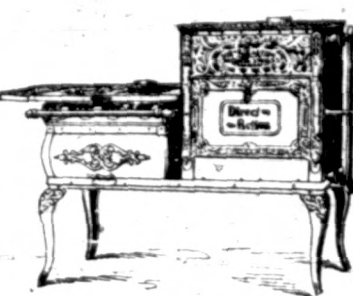
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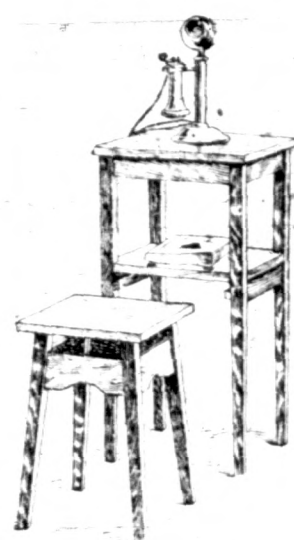
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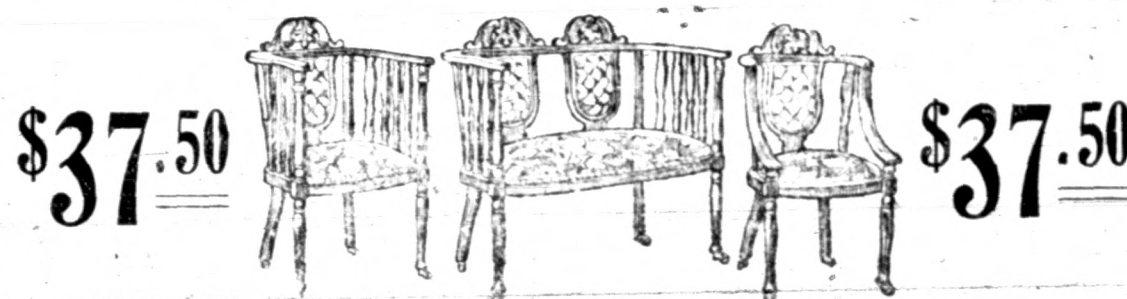
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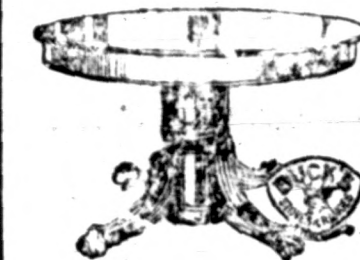
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RIVER NEWS

River Stages.		
Cairo	43.9	2.0 fall
Chattanooga	7.3	0.2 rise
Cincinnati	29.0	7.3 rise
Evansville	28.3	5.3 fall
Florence	6.5	1.1 fall
Johnsonville	13.4	2.1 fall
Louisville	8.8	0.0 std
Mt. Carmel	19.4	1.9 fall
Nashville	13.3	1.1 rise
Pittsburg	19.6	6.1 rise
St. Louis	16.8	0.5 fall
Mt. Vernon	32.6	4.8 fall
Paducah	37.0	1.2 fall

River stage at 7 o'clock this morning read 37.0 feet, a fall of 2.0 feet since Saturday morning. Rainfall, 1.30 inches.

The steamer Dick Fowler is having some larger valves put on and other light repairs done, so will not make any trips till Thursday in the Cairo and Paducah trade. The Dick has not been getting all the power her new machinery was said to give when put in, but by changing valves it is thought this power can be gained.

There will not be any Cumberland river boat till Wednesday, then the Dudley or Harley will be in from Nashville in place of the Battuff, which is having repairs done to her boilers.

The Joe Fowler is the Evansville packet today. The Hopkins is still laid up for repairs.

The Sprague passed down the Ohio Saturday night with a big tow of coal. She had 46 coal boats, 3 flats, 2 fuel flats and 1 barge in tow on her way to New Orleans.

The City of Saltillo came out of Tennessee river Saturday night on her way to St. Louis.

The J. N. Hook left this morning for the Tennessee river after ties.

The Harth arrived from Caseyville Sunday morning with a tow of coal for the West Kentucky Coal company and got away today for the Obion river with a tow of coal.

The O'Neil passed down the Ohio last night with a big tow of coal, bound for New Orleans.

The Egan, which has been laid up for repairs, left today for Caseyville

with a tow of supplies and will bring back a tow of coal for the West Kentucky Coal company.

The Eagle went to Brookport Saturday after boilers for the Soviet Eagle. The steamer Eagle is due to leave for St. Louis today with a tow of logs.

The Chattanooga is due in from the upper Tennessee this afternoon tonight with a big trip of ties and lumber.

The George Lee failed to get in last night or this morning from Memphis. She will be in late this afternoon.

The Reaper arrived from the Mississippi with an empty tow for the West Kentucky Coal company.

The Cascan arrived from Nashville last night with a tow of ties for the Aver & Lord Tie company and got away this morning for Nashville and another tow.

When the big towboat Sprague passed by Saturday night Edward Neel, deputy United States marshal, went out to the Sprague on board the Fannie Wallace with a warrant from Louisville for the arrest of the mate, Jim Culver, charging him with cutting a deck hand while the boat was in Louisville. The mate was brought ashore and told his story to the marshal. The deck hand who swore out the warrant, had been causing trouble for some time on the boat and had threatened to kill the mate and had run at him with a big knife several times. The mate tried to avoid the trouble and even went out on the deck of barges to get away from the deck hand, but the deck hand followed him. So the mate in order to protect himself turned in and gave the roughest good beating with his fists and there was no cutting done. The mate gave bond from the commissioner and was allowed to go back to the Sprague pending trial at Louisville when the boat returns to that place.

Steamboat inspectors Green and St. John, of Nashville, inspected the Royal this morning and in testing the boilers several of the flues were blown out. In other respects the boat was perfect. The flues will be repaired and the boat will leave the day of this week.

Few men appreciate how much a woman appreciates masculine appreciation.

RAILROAD NOTES

The change in the running schedule of the trainmen and conductors on freight trains between Paducah and Louisville was made yesterday and tonight. Trains and engine men running out of Paducah stop at Central City instead of running through to Louisville as heretofore. The passenger trainmen have not yet received official orders to run out of Paducah but it is understood the change will be made before the week is gone.

T. L. Roder, the well known car repairer, returned this morning from Louisville, where he spent his two days' vacation, caused by the closing down of the department.

The new change in the car department was at their places this morning and all handled the business of their desks like veterans.

Several car loads of supplies have been received at the store rooms of the shops during the past week and conditions are ready for the manufacture of things needed for repairs at the shops is said to be rapidly assuming normal.

IN THROES OF WINTER.

Scotland and Parts of England Visited By Wintry Weather. London, March 2.—Scotland and parts of England and Wales have experienced two days of the most wintry weather in many years. There have been heavy snowstorms and blizzards. In parts of Scotland snow drifts are ten and fifteen feet deep.

Taft Leads in Ballad.

La Center, Ky., March 2.—A mass meeting has been called for Ballard county Republicans March 11 by Secretary Jones, acting on orders from the chairman. The meeting will be held at Wickliffe, Ky., and in spite of factional differences in this county, it is understood that the meeting will be turned into a convention. Taft forces are well organized in this county. The leaders of the party here are strong for Taft, and the fact is conceded that the convention will be for the big secretary.

A large hotel in Grand Rapids, Mich., is heated largely by electricity.

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